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## TEN MILLIONS LOST BY FIRE AT SALEM

Area Three Miles by Mile or More Now Mass of Ruins

## TEN THOUSAND PEOPLE HOMELESS LAST NIGHT

Museums and Notable Buildings Were Not Reached by Conflagration

## ONLY TWO LIVES LOST SEVERAL ARE INJURED

Salem, Mass., June 26.—The conflagration which laid waste more than a thousand buildings in the city of Salem is burning itself out to-day. City officials after making careful compilation of values, figured the loss at \$10,000,000. The burned district followed the lines of a rough semi-circle three miles in length, varying in width from half a mile to a mile and a half.

Although many persons were injured, only two lives were lost. The charred body of a woman was found in the ruins of a tenement. At least ten thousand persons, one-fourth of the city's population, were made homeless and thousands passed the night in the open. Many hundreds were sheltered in schools, churches and public buildings in this city and Beverly.

Before the fire had been fairly checked relief measures and plans for rebuilding were under way. Governor Walsh, Lieut. Governor Barry and Secretary of State Donahue spent the night here. The governor announced tents and ten thousand rations would be shipped to the city at once.

In the midst of the gloom caused by the staggering blow to the city, residents found cause for thankfulness in the fact that the more noted buildings and the museums, with their priceless collection of antiquities were spared. The birthplace of Nathaniel Hawthorne, "The House of Seven Gables," and the old custom house were threatened for a time and the flames approached dangerously close to the museum and the Essex Institute, but none of these structures was damaged.

The militia summoned to assist in maintaining order patrolled the streets. Martial law was not declared, but no one was permitted to approach the fire-swept district without a pass. Only one attempt at looting was reported.

On the common and open spaces in the outskirts of the city thousands of refugees tried to find a place to rest during the night. Many stretched themselves out on the grass, others had managed to save mattresses or rocking chairs from their burning homes. Little groups huddled together about piles of household goods.

From 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a terrific explosion occurred in the factory of the Korn Leather company at Proctor and Boston streets, the flames raged practically unchecked until midnight. The explosion is thought to have occurred among chemicals used in the manufacture of patent leather. This factory stood near the foot of Gallows Hill, famous as the hanging place of witches in the early colonial days at the western end of the city. A high wind carried the flames through the manufacturing district and thence southeastward to the heart of the city and across a thickly-populated tenement district to the waterfront.

A shift in the wind sent the fire northward along Lafayette street, where scores of the city's finest residences were burned. The fire spread to another manufacturing centre on the shore of the harbor and destroyed large factories. In the intervening area scores of business houses were swept away. The Salem hospital was among the buildings burned, but all the patients were rescued.

Great quantities of apparatus from neighboring cities assisted in fighting the flames. To the eastward the fire burned out at the water edge. The final stand was made near the Boston & Maine railroad station. Here several buildings were dynamited and the firemen at last gained the upper hand, saving the northeastern part of the city.

A separate fire, which the police say was of incendiary origin, destroyed thirteen dwellings in North Salem. A second body was taken from the ruins to-day but it was so charred that the sex could not be determined. Prompt response was made to a public appeal for relief issued by Governor Walsh. Henry C. Frick, of Pittsburgh, sent a cheque for \$25,000. Wagons and automobiles loaded with food began to arrive from surrounding cities at daylight and city officials supervised its distribution with the idea of best providing for those in actual need.

**JAPANESE PRINCES DEAD.**  
Tokio, June 26.—Dowager Princess Noriko Komatsuno Miya, widow of Prince Akihito, a relative of the Imperial family, died to-day at the age of

## Princess Patricia Reported Engaged Royal Union One of Cupid's Making



CONTINENTAL PRINCE SAID TO BE CHOICE OF GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S DAUGHTER

London, June 26.—A rumor that is regarded by those in a position to know as possessing solid foundation, insists that Princess Patricia of Connaught will be among the midsummer fiancées. It is stated that the engagement had been brewing over a period of twelve months, and that the choice has fallen to a continental prince. Princess Patricia is one of the best-loved of Britain's royalty, and romance has touched her name, repeatedly in rumored engagements. It has been stated frequently, however, that Princess Patricia has been upheld invariably by her father, the Duke of Connaught, in her steadfast antipathy to arranged marriages. The impending announcement is said to be of her own choice, and meets with the approval of the king and queen.

## PRINCE SWAM OUT TO ESCAPE FROM MILITANT WOMEN

London, June 26.—The Prince of Wales had a narrow escape from being caught by two suffragettes yesterday. The prince, who is in camp at Mytchett, near Aldershot, had gone with a number of comrades for a swim. No river being near, the young men had to content themselves with a dip in the old Castlingtroke canal.

## CLAFLIN WILL PUT OWN FORTUNE INTO BUSINESS

Creditors Intend Working With Management to Save Department Store Business.

New York, June 26.—With assurances of co-operation from the leading drygoods firms, jobbing and commission houses in the organization of merchandise creditors and the holders of the firm's paper, John Claflin to-day began the task of reorganization of the H. B. Claflin company, which went into the hands of receivers yesterday. In a statement giving his reasons for the receivership Mr. Claflin said regarding possible reorganization that a plan will soon be presented which he hopes will prove acceptable to both creditors and stockholders.

The liabilities of the company are placed at \$4,000,000, principally in the form of commercial paper. The assets are placed at \$4,000,000, and in addition Mr. Claflin, it is said, has pledged his personal fortune of ten millions. The outstanding paper is held by thousands of banks through out the United States and so widely scattered as to prevent a financial strain in any one section.

## PRIVY COUNCIL DECIDES AGAINST RAILWAY BOARD

## B. C. Electric Company Wins in Suit With Vancouver City Over Bridges.

London, June 26.—The Privy Council delivered judgment to-day in the case of the British Columbia Electric Railway company versus Vancouver Railway & Navigation company. The issue was as to whether the Dominion railway board had jurisdiction to direct the appellants to pay part of the cost of bridges over certain Vancouver streets. The Privy Council in allowing the appeal said that if the board possessed any such jurisdiction it must be derived from the statutes which created it. The fundamental error underlying the decision of the Dominion railway board, is that they have considered that the fact that the British Columbia Electric railway would be benefited by the works gave the board jurisdiction to make the railway pay the cost or portion thereof. There is nothing in the Railway act which gives any such jurisdiction.

## DYNAMITERS AGAIN AT WORK IN PENITENTIARY

Leavenworth, Kas., June 26.—Twelve ironworkers convicted in the dynamite conspiracy cases to-day resumed the serving of their sentences in the federal penitentiary where they were left off when released on bail last New Year's Day. With the arrival of Eugene A. Clancy, of San Francisco, and Frank J. Higgins, of Boston, the men will take up their old places on the work of constructing cell-houses.

## TRUST LEGISLATION FIRST FOR WILSON

Unparalleled Prosperity Prediction of President Arouses Wide Interest

Washington, June 26.—President Wilson's emphatic declaration of the administration's intention to go straight ahead with its anti-trust programme and place those measures on the statute books of the country, with the prediction of unparalleled prosperity to follow, attracted widespread attention here to-day. In congressional circles, especially, the president's utterances were read with keen interest.

While the president's speech was regarded as perhaps the most important message he has given to the business world and as his final answer to those who oppose the enactment of the anti-trust programme at the present session of congress.

The president spoke in no uncertain terms and made it clear that he was determined to push to a conclusion the trust programme. He reviewed the efforts of the administration to carry out the tariff and currency law, which he said was attended by fear of business disturbance. When, however, those measures finally became law, the feeling of uncertainty was relieved.

## LEPROSY PREVALENT AND IS ON INCREASE

Vegetarian Diet Suggested as Cure for Cancer by United States Physician.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 26.—With a plea for the federal care and control of leprosy, eradication of child labor and improvement of the country's milk supply, the meeting of the American medical association practically came to an end to-day. The house of delegates, the administrative section of the organization to-day approved a majority of the resolutions passed by the different sections which have been in session here since Tuesday.

The resolution presented by Dr. William A. Puzey, of the section on dermatology, state that leprosy exists in certain parts of the United States and is on the increase, that those afflicted with leprosy are subjected to the most inhuman treatment and that many lepers are traveling in interstate traffic, constantly exposing the general public to the contagion.

Overheating, especially of meat, and the excessive use of alcohol and coffee cause many cancers and the only hope of the extinction lies in absolute abstinence on vegetables with the exclusion of coffee and alcohol, according to a statement made by Dr. L. Duncan Bulkley, of New York. He said he had treated many cases of cancer by a vegetarian diet.

## GREECE CALLS RESERVES OF NAVY TO THE COLORS

Athens, Greece, June 26.—Seven classes of the Greek naval reserves were called to-day to the colors, the being the increase of the fleet, and the naval manoeuvres to begin next week. The real reason of the step taken by the ministry of marine, however, is understood to be the determination of the Greek government to be prepared for all eventualities, although there is an apparent slackening of the tension between Turkey and Greece.

## DIVORCE GRANTED.

London, June 26.—Lady Mary Girouard was to-day granted a divorce from Sir Edouard Percy Girouard. The suit was undefended.

## PROVINCIAL MONEY PAID OFF BIG LOAN

Astonishment Expressed at Financial Evidence Given at St. John

## MEMBERS OF COMPANY DID NOT PUT MONEY IN

Gould Interests Were to Pay \$95,000 but Have Not Done So

## GOVERNMENT THEN LEGALIZED THE SALE

St. John, N. B., June 26.—Some astonishment was shown in the evidence before the royal commission on the Dugal charges. It developed during the testimony that no sooner had the proceeds of the bonds been deposited with the Prudential Trust company than a loan of \$350,000, which had been arranged for previously, was secured from the trust company by A. R. Gould, Ross Thompson, H. E. Macdonald and F. J. Lisman.

This was before serious construction work was under way. It was shown that \$207,000 of this as yet mysterious loan was subsequently out of money given to the railway company on progress estimates. In other words, portions of the money provided by the province for construction work from time to time was apparently used to pay off a great part of this \$350,000 loan, the purpose of which has not yet been made clear.

The men who constituted the company, it was proved, put in no money of their own. Also, the legislation provided that the bonds were to realize not less than 98 per cent. They were sold at about 95.52. The Gould interests were to pay the difference, but did not. In time they made a demand draft on the Prudential Trust for \$85,000. Subsequently the Flemming government amended the legislation and by a retroactive clause it was made legal to sell the bonds already sold at 95.

B. Hal Brown, president and general manager of the Prudential Trust Company, Limited, of Montreal, occupied the witness stand for more than an hour while there raged a heated argument of counsel on the admissibility in evidence of the account of the Quebec and St. John Construction company. The contention advanced yesterday by F. P. Markey, K. C., counsel for the Prudential company, was that the commissioners investigating the St. John Valley charges had no right to demand in evidence the private account of the company. The witness was asked this morning to name the man to whom the loan of \$350,000 had been made. Turning to his lawyer the witness asked, "Shall I answer that question?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Markey, "there is no objection to it that I can make."

"Well," said Mr. Brown, "the loan was made to F. J. Lisman, of New York."

Before he could proceed further Mr. Teed objected that evidence of a loan to private individuals had no bearing on the enquiry. Another long argument followed.

Justice McKeown asked Mr. Teed if it would not be in the party's interest to show where this money went and that it went mainly into the building of roads.

Holding up the ledger sheet containing details of the St. John and Quebec Construction company, Mr. Carvell stated it showed a loan of \$50,000 to A. P. Gould.

"That is not so," interrupted Mr. Markey. "That is deliberate misrepresentation, the cheque being paid merely to an official of the company."

Judge Wells scanned the document. "You are entirely right, Mr. Markey," he said, "the item discloses that the cheque of the company merely passed to Mr. Gould."

"Now, Mr. Brown, your company made a loan to the St. John and Quebec company?" "Yes, that is so, and to certain individuals who gave collateral and undertook to furnish other collateral."

"Who were these men?" "F. J. Lisman, A. E. Gould, Ross Thompson and H. E. Macdonald."

"What was the amount of the loan?" "Three hundred and fifty thousand dollars."

Mr. Brown proceeded to tell the history of the agreement. Toward the end of April, 1912, certain gentlemen made overtures for a loan of \$350,000 to be paid, not all at once, but over a period of seven months. Their proposal was embodied in a written agreement. The Prudential was secured adequately by the individuals, but the Quebec and St. John Railway company, and the prospective guarantee of the third company, the St. John and Quebec Construction company. We deposited an amount much larger than required by law to secure the province of New Brunswick, and also we had our high reputation and the money at stake. For any failure to meet these obligations on the part of the borrowers we would have held them responsible."

## ZACATECAS WORST BLOW FEDERAL YET RECEIVED

Mediation Congress Inactive Waiting Arrival of Delegates—State of Famine Exists Inside Guaymas Fortification—Many Soldiers Leave City

Zacatecas, Mex., June 26.—There is no longer any doubt that the federalists sustained in the loss of this city, the most crushing defeat suffered by them so far in the present revolution. It was learned to-day from a survey of their fortifications that they had anticipated holding their positions here for months.

In no previous instance had so many earthworks been thrown up, or had the scheme of defence been planned so ably. The miles of trenches, stone parapets and the many small earthwork forts which fell before the rebels one after another in eight hours on the last day of the battle testified to this fact. In no single instance were these positions given up without a desperate fight.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 26.—Mediators and American and Huerta delegates were inactive to-day awaiting definite word from the constitutionalist agency in Washington as to the time and place for the informal conference between the opposing Mexican factions.

It is considered unlikely the parleys between the Huerta and constitutionalist representatives would take place here nor is it probable any city in the United States will be chosen for the conference.

Ottawa and several resorts on Lake Ontario have been mentioned. The Huerta delegates refused to comment on the taking of Zacatecas.

On Board U. S. S. California, La Paz, Lower California, June 25, by wireless to San Diego, June 26.—According to information received from Guaymas to-day, conditions there are daily growing worse. No flour is being received to replenish the supply that gave out

## HON. H. R. EMMERSON IS CRITICALLY ILL



Members of Family Called to Bedside of Member for Westmoreland.

Moncton, N. B., June 26.—The condition of railways in the Laurier cabinet, who is suffering from heart trouble, is still critical, and attending physicians have practically given up all hope of recovery. The patient at times lapses into unconsciousness, and scarcely recognizes members of his family, who are in constant attendance.

## APPROVES TEACHING OF SEX HYGIENE IN THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Chicago, June 26.—The teaching of sex hygiene in Sunday schools was approved to-day in the report to a convention of International Sunday school associations by C. K. Mohr, superintendent of the purity department. "Sex knowledge will be taught," said Mr. Mohr, "if not in the home and the Sunday school, in the street. Silence is criminal. We cannot remain inactive. We must teach these facts and teach them so that knowledge may lead to purity and righteousness."

## C. P. R. GIVES \$20,000.

Calgary, June 26.—It is announced here that the Canadian Pacific Railway company have contributed \$20,000 to the fund for the relief of the families of miners killed in the recent disaster at Hillcroft.

## HOSMER MINE CLOSED BY CANADIAN PACIFIC

Twelve Hundred Men Leave and Town Loses All Chance for Business

Calgary, Alberta, June 26.—Twelve hundred miners have been thrown out of work and the town of Hosmer, near Fernie, B. C., is about to be abandoned by its population owing to the fact that the coal mines at this point, owned and operated by the Canadian Pacific railway company, have been shut down. The work of dismantling the machinery is well under way.

Merchants and property owners in the town are almost paralyzed with fear because their interests are worthless once the mines have been closed for good, coal mining being the only industry that the town possessed. Rumors to the effect that the mines would be shut down had been prevalent for some time, but the citizens of the town had been living in hope that the reports were unfounded. However, the climax came yesterday when the work of dismantling the machinery of the mines was commenced and many miners who were not burdened with families immediately left for other points.

The Hosmer mines have been a disappointment from the start and the development work has been going on at a heavy loss in hopes that something would materialize. It was finally decided to close the mine as it could be worked only at a great loss. The abandoning of Hosmer will make the second deserted town in that district, the town of Morrissey being the first to be abandoned, owing to the failure of the mines to pay. It is known millions of dollars were spent in trying to relocate at Morrissey and it is understood almost as much was lost at Hosmer by the Canadian Pacific company.

## PREMIER'S BIRTHDAY IS MARKED BY CHANGE IN NEWSPAPER RATES

Ottawa, June 26.—Premier Borden to-day is celebrating his sixtieth birthday. The event was marked by a blow at Canadian newspapers. The mail rate for years has been a quarter of a cent a pound. Mr. Pelletier announces that hereafter the rate will be a quarter of a cent for each copy mailed and an addition cent for each copy delivered by letter carrier. Last session the Press association blocked the bill by which Pelletier sought to take control of the mail rates from parliament to himself. He then told the press committee he had enough law to make them sorry. Now he has acted under section 71 of the Post Office act.

## FINANCE DIVISION MARKED BY SCENE

O'Brienites Gather at Bar of House and Jeer at Nationalists

## OPINIONS EXPRESSED FREELY IN COMMONS

Carson Continues to Ride His Hobby Horse on Home Rule

## REDMOND SUPPORTED BY SENATE OF AUSTRALIA

London, June 26.—The division on the government finance measure in the House of Commons last night, when the government was upheld by a majority of thirty-eight without the aid of several Labor members who stood off, was the occasion for a scene of great excitement, not at the fate of the government but mainly over the attitude the Nationalists, Unionists and the O'Brienites adopted. Interchanges of an uncompromising nature were frequent between them and there was a particularly angry scene between the Nationalists and the O'Brienites.

As the Nationalist members were leaving the chamber the O'Brienites gathered at the bar of the house and jeered them loudly. The Unionists, looking on at the disturbance, seized on the opportunity to suggest that such scenes as those before them would be of frequent occurrence at Dublin when the parliament meets there. They made what capital they could out of it.

Immediately there followed lively interchanges of opinion between the O'Brienites, Nationalists and the Unionists and the disturbance became so general that the speaker of the house was compelled to call members of the parties to order.

Then they went into the lobby, where little angry groups of Nationalists condemned the action of the O'Brienites.

Carson Issues Statement.

Sir Edward Carson issues the following statement regarding the amending bill: "It is the old offer which is described as a hypocritical sham and which was only allowed to be offered to us because it was known we could not possibly accept it. Moreover, the bill demonstrates that during all these months no progress has been made by the government in framing the details for a separate government in Ulster."

"It is somewhat ludicrous to provide that Ulster is to accept any administration the lord-lieutenant, who will be subject to the advice of the Dublin ministers, desires to set up. The whole thing shows in every line a policy of drift. It looks to me as if there was to be no effort of statesmanship to solve the present situation."

John Redmond has received a cable from Melbourne, Australia, stating that an Australian meeting, consisting of thirty-six members, but a vote of twenty-five to five, reaffirmed to-night, amidst great enthusiasm, the home rule resolution passed in October, 1905.

## BENCHERS WILL TAKE UP STEVENS' STATEMENT

Member for Vancouver Made Statement Regarding Judiciary; Explanation May Be Asked.

Vancouver, June 26.—The attack made upon the judiciary of British Columbia by H. H. Stevens, M. P., during the course of his speech at the Komagata Maru meeting in Dominion Hall on Tuesday night will be taken up by the benchers of the law society on Monday, it was announced to-day. Resolutions for a special meeting of the members of the bar have been signed by a number of prominent barristers of the city and are now being sent out. The meeting will be held on Monday afternoon.

## TWO DOLLARS PER TON FOR WATER TO HINDUS

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## BI-LINGUAL SCHOOL

### CASE BEFORE COURT

English Trustees Take Action Against French Majority on Board

Ottawa, June 26.—Mr. Justice Lennox yesterday began the hearing of what is popularly called the bi-lingual school case.

It is an action by the English separate school trustees to compel the French majority on the board to discontinue the employment of unqualified teachers and to obey the regulations of the department of education in regard to Rule 17, and to prevent the board from issuing debentures to the amount of \$350,000, while the regulation is being disobeyed.

J. E. Doyle, secretary of the separate school board; W. J. Summerby, one of the Protestant inspectors, and Mrs. Dumas, principal of the Garneau school here, were the witnesses.

During the course of Mr. Doyle's evidence W. M. Tilley, Toronto, counsel for the plaintiffs, forced the following admission from Hon. N. A. Belcourt, of the defence: "We admit we are not carrying out regulation 17. We have not done so either before or after the present writ of injunction was issued. That is what the case rests on."

Mr. Summerby testified that the pupils of the Garneau school had left in a body after the principal, Mrs. Dumas, had informed them who he was.

Mrs. Dumas said she had received many requests from parents to notify their children when the Protestant inspector arrived and she had done so at their request, but had received no instructions from the chairman or members of the school board.

## THIRTY-EIGHT VOTES

### AHEAD ON DIVISION

Without Labor Vote British Government Able to Carry House on Finance Bill

London, June 26.—The division on the finance bill, which was awaited with much interest, owing to the attitude of certain Liberal members and the abstention of the Labor party, was taken late last night, and resulted as follows:

For the bill, 303; against, 265—a majority of 38.

The Labor party to the number of 35 abstained from voting for the amendment in accordance with the previously expressed conviction that the chancellor should have given the poor relief from taxation instead of reducing the income tax.

Sir Luke White, Liberal, voted with the opposition as a protest against the postponement of local grants. Joseph Martin, Mr. Hinde and several other Liberals abstained. C. G. Greenwood, who has undergone several severe operations, was in the house on crutches. The O'Brienites in a body voted with the opposition. When the figures were announced the younger members of the Unionist party called out, tauntingly, "Lloyd-Georgian finance," "Send for Masterman," and "Saved by the Irish."

In view of the second reading of the bill and the debate on the amending bill which begins in the House of Lords on Wednesday, Unionist peers, and Unionist leaders in both houses are earnestly conferring as to the most practical method of safeguarding Ulster.

At a large meeting of Unionist peers yesterday it was decided almost unanimously that the second reading should be given to the home rule amending bill with a view to its drastic amendment later. This decision, however, is not in harmony with the views of the "die hard" peers, who are anxious to reject the amendment.

Lord Willoughby de Broke has put down a motion to this effect. He has considerable support, but not enough to defeat the Unionist peers who follow the official lead. The effect of the peers' decision to give the bill a second reading will be to postpone still further the renewal of conversations between the party leaders on the Irish question.

American freights and American helmsmen were the subject of some banter to-day between the rival Irish factions in the House of Commons. Premier Asquith was asked to take special steps to prevent arms entering Ireland from the United States in response to the appeal of John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalists, to Michael J. Ryan, president of the United Irish League, Philadelphia, for aid to the Nationalist volunteers in Ireland.

David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, who replied on behalf of the premier, declined to make any representations on the subject to the American government.

Arthur Lynch, a Nationalist member, then tried to carry the war into the Unionist camp by inviting Mr. Lloyd George to ascertain how much money American helmsmen had furnished to foment civil war in Ireland, but hilarious cries from the opposition, "Where is Harcourt?" reminded him that there were American helmsmen in both camps. Robert Vernon Harcourt, a Radical member, is a son of Lady Harcourt, a daughter of John L. Motley, former United States minister in London.

## JAPAN STANDS FIRM ON ANTI-ALIEN LAND LAW

No Intention of Letting Matter Rest While Present Condition Continues.

Washington, June 26.—Diplomatic correspondence between the United States and Japan over the California anti-alien land law was published today simultaneously in Washington and Tokio. It disclosed that a new treaty was discussed as one way of meeting Japan's protest, but the weeks ago the Japanese ambassador, Viscount Chinda, left with Secretary Bryan instructions from the Tokio foreign office that the projected treaty would tend to create new difficulties, and that the Japanese government preferred to recur to the correspondence which was interrupted, and they will now look for an answer to the note handed Mr. Bryan on August 26 last.

The Japanese note of August 26 last, which Mr. Bryan is now asked to answer, concludes as follows: "The Imperial government claims for its subjects fair and equal treatment, and is unable either to acquiesce in the unjust and obnoxious discrimination complained of, or to regard the question as closed so long as the existing state of things is permitted to continue."

There the controversy stands, apparently at a deadlock. There is intimation in diplomatic circles that it is being worked around to a stage of arbitration at The Hague.

## TEN THOUSAND PEOPLE SIGN CLEMENCY PETITION

Ottawa, June 26.—The department of justice has received a petition bearing 10,000 names, asking that clemency be extended in the case of John Krafchenko, sentenced to hang at Winnipeg on July 9 for the murder of Bank Manager Arnold at Plum Coulee.

The grounds for the petition are that public feeling against the condemned man was so strong that it militated against him getting a fair trial, and further, that the killing of Arnold was not premeditated but rather the result of an attempt to frighten him.

"Versatiles," including Billy Oswald, Stadacona park, 3 and 8 p. m.

## LAUNCH DISCOVERED

### IS LINK TO MYSTERY

Disappearance of Woman and Two Men Revived at Find on Koyukuk River

Seattle, June 26.—The launch Seal Pup, in which its owner, Tommy Johnson, with John Holmberg, Marie Schmidt and Frank Adams left Wiseman, Alaska, September 12, 1910, to take a steamer for the outside and come to Seattle, and on whose account federal officials have conducted a country-wide search for more than a year, has been found. According to a dispatch received last night by United States District-Attorney James J. Crossley, of Fairbanks, upon his return here from a visit east. The launch was found on the Koyukuk river, and a satchel containing woman's clothing was recovered.

The finding of the launch, it is believed, may help clear up the mystery of the strange disappearance of the party, none of whom except Johnson ever reached the outside. Nor has search in Alaska succeeded in disclosing the whereabouts of Holmberg, Marie Schmidt or Adams since the day the party left Bethel on its 600-mile trip down the Koyukuk river. When the party left Wiseman, Holmberg is known to have had at least \$7,000 in gold, and Marie Schmidt a like amount, besides several hundred dollars' worth of diamonds.

Johnson, who has been sought for near and far as the one who could perhaps best explain the disappearance of his companions, appeared in Seattle on October 8 of the year the party left Wiseman. He spent several days here, depositing in the local assay office the morning of his arrival \$2,137 worth of gold dust.

Later he was traced to San Francisco, and two months ago it was reported that he had appeared in that city again, and Deputy United States Marshal Joseph Warren, who has worked on the case for more than a year, went there in the hope of locating him to see what explanation he could give of the disappearance of his companions.

Added interest was given to the mystery because of the fact that Holmberg and Marie Schmidt were among the best known Alaskans, having lived in the territory for years. Adams, the other member of the party, lived in Auburn, King county, Washington.

## MURDER TRIAL WITNESS KILLED AT VANCOUVER

Threats Alleged Prior to Death of Man Interested in Russian Case.

Vancouver, June 26.—Mystery surrounds the death of B. Kupoff, a Russian, found dead on his bed yesterday with a bullet hole through his head, in a room on Harris street. What at first appeared to be a case of suicide has since taken on a darker aspect, and the city detective force is now engaged in an attempt to unravel the tangled skein of Russian intrigue which seems to surround the actions of Kupoff for a few days prior to his death.

The death of Kupoff two hours before he was to have appeared in the New Westminster court as a witness in the murder case in which Dzabath is charged with the killing of Sekinaef, seems to point the finger of suspicion toward foul play.

Russians in the city are of the opinion that Kupoff was killed by some one interested in the murder case. They allege that threats had been made against Kupoff and that he had been told that he would not live to give evidence.

## POLICE CHIEFS ELECT SHERWOOD PRESIDENT

Winnipeg, June 26.—Col. A. P. Sherwood, head of the Dominion police force, was appointed president for the ensuing year at the tenth annual convention of the Chief Constables' Association of Canada, at the sittings which were closed to-day. Other officers elected were: Chief Cuddy, Calgary, vice-president; Deputy Chief Stark, Toronto, secretary-treasurer. The following were appointed as the na, Vancouver; McPherson, Winnipeg; McPherson, Winnipeg; Thompson, Peterboro; Bruce, Medicine Hat, and Rudliff, Halifax.

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CANADIAN NORTHERN BONDS NOT FLOATED

Government Loan Still on the Market Blocks Way to Sir Wm. Mackenzie

Ottawa, June 26.—The Ottawa Free Press says: "It is stated here on good authority that there is a serious hitch in connection with the issue of the C. N. R. bonds provided for by the legislation passed by parliament last session."

"The report is to the effect that the government is insisting upon certain conditions being placed in the mortgage which the heads of the C. N. R. claim are not provided for in the act."

"The government, it is said, desires that a minimum price be fixed for the selling of the issue, so that there shall be as little sacrifice of the face value as possible."

"It is further stated that the government desires to place certain conditions in the mortgage as to the time when the bonds will be offered for sale in London. The government does not desire that the whole amount of the issue shall be floated at the present time when its own most recent loan has not yet been taken up by the public in its entirety."

"It is understood that there are certain other conditions insisted upon by the government which are causing the present hitch."

"As a consequence of this hitch it is understood that Sir William Mackenzie has been borrowing on his own security in the New York market in order to tide over the situation until the matter has been settled."

G. T. P. One-Year Bills. London, June 26.—Ten million dollars' worth of one-year bills were placed yesterday by the Grand Trunk railway on the basis of 4 1/2 per cent. These are secured on the Grand Trunk 4 per cent. debenture stock taken at a value of 70, which is considerably below the market price, and are repayable on July 15, 1915. The money is required for financing the G. T. P. railway and various branch lines. It is intended next year to dispose of bonds guaranteed by the Dominion and provincial governments, the proceeds of which will be used to reimburse the Grand Trunk railway company for the amount advanced.

CANADIAN EXHIBITS AT AMERICAN FAIRS POPULAR Government Official Says Few People Moving Across Line From Canada Now.

Ottawa, June 26.—Canadian exhibits are wanted at the American fairs this year. W. J. White, who looks after American immigration for the Canadian government, reports that there has been a change of sentiment across the line in regard to displays by Canada. For several years there had been a growing antagonism to the attractive displays made by the Canadian immigration department at state exhibitions, as it was believed that they took people from the United States to Canada.

Mr. White says that while there has been a falling off in arrivals from the United States this year, those who have come brought more wealth with them than any who arrived in the past. He also says that there are practically no people moving from western Canada to the United States.

The opening for settlement of a big Indian reserve in Montana this summer is likely to check the movement of immigration from the south for some time.

SUSPICIOUS ACTIONS OF WOMAN WITH EXPLOSIVE Violent Behaviour in Court When Charge of Loitering With Felonious Intent is Called.

London, June 26.—A remarkable incident of the visit of the king and queen to Nottingham was disclosed at a local police court yesterday, when Irene Casey was brought up on a charge of loitering with intent to commit a felony. Shortly before the arrival of the king and queen on Wednesday she was observed examining the grandstand in the market place. In her hand she carried a green suitcase. Detectives arrested her and took her to the police station, where it was found that the suitcase contained among other things four quarter-pound packages of cheddite and twenty feet of fuse.

The woman behaved violently when the magistrate remanded her. She seized the front rail of the dock and clung to it with such determination that she had to be wrenched away and forcibly removed to a cell.

LIBERAL PARTY GAINS MADE IN SASKATCHEWAN Gardiner and Bashford Win in Bye-Elections at North Qu'Appelle and Rosthern.

Regina, Sask., June 26.—In the provincial bye-election in North Qu'Appelle, necessitated by the resignation of J. A. McDonald, Conservative, J. G. Gardiner, Liberal, obtained a majority of 304 over W. E. Read, Conservative, a gain for the Scott government. The Liberals had a majority in fifteen out of twenty-three polls and the Conservatives in eight. At the last general election the Conservative majority was 45.

Saskatoon, Sask., June 26.—Complete returns from Rosthern give W. B. Bashford, Liberal, a majority of 271. In the general election of 1912 the Liberal majority was 120.

POLITICAL PROGRAMME NOW FACES ROOSEVELT

Ex-President of United States Plunges Into Campaign Preparations Again

Oyster Bay, L. I., June 26.—Col. Roosevelt plunged yesterday into what he expects to be the hardest political campaign he has ever undertaken. He lost no time in getting into action. Nine hours after he stepped ashore at Oyster Bay, following his midnight trip from New York harbor he was back in his library at Sagamore Hill starting the machinery. His secretary came from New York to be on hand and Col. Roosevelt soon began dictating letters and telegrams at full speed.

The question whether Col. Roosevelt is in fit condition physically for a hard speech-making campaign, which recently has caused so much concern to Progressive leaders, gave the colonel no worry at all.

"I never felt better in my life," he said. He added, however, that his throat had been giving him some trouble and here lies the chief danger of being incapacitated for the campaign. He intends to make fewer speeches in each state than in former years, but to adhere to his plan of covering the country from coast to coast.

The first campaign problem taken up by Col. Roosevelt was the tangled New York situation. He has heard both sides of the question of endorsing District Attorney Whitman as candidate for governor of New York, and refused absolutely to commit himself.

CHOCOLATE FACTORY AT NEW WESTMINSTER BURNT Logs of \$50,000 Occasioned Last Night's Danger.

New Westminster, B. C., June 26.—Fire which started at 6 o'clock yesterday evening destroyed the building, plant and stock of the Pacific Chocolate company, located on Front street, near the Fraser river bridge, the loss being estimated at between \$50,000 and \$60,000, partly covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. For a time the plant of the Vulcan Iron Works was threatened, but the good work of the fire department, assisted by Senator Jansen's fire boat from the Fraser mill, succeeded in confining the flames to the chocolate factory. About thirty employees will be thrown out of work. The concern was backed by local capital, and has been in existence for about two years.

SUIT FOR KING OTTO SHOWN AT NEW YORK Garments for Mad King of Bavaria Said to Have Cost \$20,000.

New York, June 26.—What is believed to be the most valuable suit of masculine attire made in modern times was brought here by Miss Anita Keoch, of Stuttgart, Germany.

It is valued at \$20,000, and was made for the late mad King Otto of Bavaria, the coat, waistcoat and trousers are embroidered with gold and silver. On the coat there are said to be eight thousand pearls. Miss Keoch said she had intended to offer the suit for sale to the late J. P. Morgan just before his death. Customs officials are appraising the garments.

OLD CLOTHING CAUSED FURNITURE STORE FIRE Seattle, June 26.—Heat generated by the sun's rays in work clothes left by painters who had been decorating the interior of the building, is believed to have caused the fire that broke out in the fourth floor of the M. A. Gottstein Furniture company store Wednesday.

Harry W. Bringham, fire marshal, who investigated the fire yesterday, says that blackened pieces of jumpers were found where the blaze originated, and he expressed the belief that the late afternoon sun probably ignited the garments because of the paint and oil they contained.

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Mrs. Chas. Lovell, Agassiz, B. C., writes: "I feel it my duty to tell you what a great friend Dr. Chase's medicines have been to myself and family. I cannot praise his medicines too highly, and Dr. Chase's name is a household word in our home. Well, quite a number of years ago I sent to you for a sample box of Dr. Chase's Ointment for protruding piles, and, having used the sample and found relief, I sent to a neighboring town for four boxes, and I am completely cured."

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We all talk now, we all think now of social reform. It is in the air.—Mr. A. J. Balfour, M. P.

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Two Specials in Underwear Swiss Vests, Regular 75c, for 50c Two splendid styles, made from finest cotton thread; no sleeves or short sleeves, and trimmed with yokes of lovely wide crocheted lace. Also a style made from the Isle, with dainty lace fronts. Regular values to 75c. Friday and Saturday only 50c

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90c Silk Hose for 65c Black and tan only. This splendid Silk Hose is of good weight and durability; strong double heels and toes and wide garter tops. Regularly sold by us at 90c. Special, Friday and Saturday at 65c

New Children's Dresses at \$1.75 Just received from New York a late shipment; we are, therefore, marking them all one price. They are new, smart, pretty dresses. Materials are chambrays and sephirs, in pretty self colors, blues, pinks and khaki. Also nobby little checks and plaids in many new styles. Various styles trimmed with self or contrast colors and checks, and finished with patent leather belts; for ages 6 to 14 years. Very special for Friday and Saturday at \$1.75

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VIOLENT EARTHQUAKE AT SUMATRA ISLAND

Many Killed or Injured and Buildings Collapsed at Benkelen.

Batavia, Java, June 26.—Many men were killed or injured to-day in a violent earthquake which caused widespread damage in southern Sumatra. The offices of the Dutch resident and many other buildings collapsed at Benkelen, the capital, and telegraph and cable communication was interrupted.

Sumatra is the largest island of the many Malay archipelago except Borneo. It has a number of volcanoes, some active and some believed extinct. The population is estimated at 3,500,000, among whom are about 5,000 whites.

DIED NINE HOURS AFTER TOUCHING LIVE WIRE

Seattle, June 26.—C. Verdon, 45 years old, died at the Seattle General hospital last night nine hours after he had come into contact with a live wire, carrying 60,000 volts at a sub-station of the Puget Sound Traction, Light & Power Company, at Auburn. Verdon did not regain consciousness after the accident. Verdon was employed in the work of rebuilding the Auburn sub-station. He walked into a room containing a transformer, contrary to warnings and the rules of the company. It is said. In passing through a narrow place his side brushed one of the heavily-charged wires.

INVENTOR OF SMOKELESS POWDER DEAD, AGED 76

Pensacola, Fla., June 26.—General Garland N. Whistler, U. S. A., retired, aged 76, is dead at his summer home here. Gen. Whistler invented smokeless powder and a system of fire control for the artillery coast defence, by which officers in a central station can map out the exact location of approaching vessels.

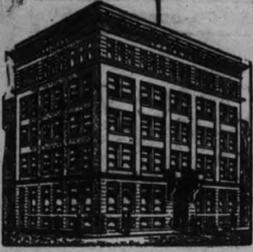
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ENLIGHTENMENT?

"Our local evening contemporary accuses Sir Robert Borden of temporizing with the question involved in the case of the Komagata Maru's passengers, because the government is ready to expedite any legal proceedings that may be inaugurated. It is amazing that a newspaper published in a British country should exhibit such a hopeless ignorance of the law of the land as this accusation evidences. If our contemporary is not already aware of the fact, we will inform it that the government of Canada has no control over the administration of the courts and has no power to deny to anyone the right to have his claims disposed of by the ordinary process of law. There is, of course, the exceptional case, where, for good reasons, the government may suspend the Habeas Corpus act, but this can only be done in emergencies, and the suspension must be of a general nature."—Colonist.

We submit to our contemporary that it is in duty bound to transmit the foregoing cocksure opinion to the Hon. Chas. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice at Ottawa, Sir Robert L. Borden, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir A. B. Aylesworth, late Minister of Justice, and those other eminent constitutional authorities who share our hopeless ignorance. In doing so we again cite for its consideration Section 23 of the Immigration act, which, by the way, it apparently did not read, although we reproduced it yesterday:

"No court, and no judge or officer thereof, shall have jurisdiction to review, quash, reverse, restrain or otherwise interfere with any proceeding, decision or order of the minister or of any board of inquiry, officer in charge, had, made or given under the authority and in accordance with the provisions of this act relating to the detention or deportation of any rejected immigrant, passenger or other person, upon any ground whatsoever, unless such person is a Canadian citizen or has Canadian domicile."

Hon. Mr. Doherty, in discussing that section in parliament last March, held that it was constitutional and therefore operative. "I have never concurred," he said, "and I do not think it at all a correct conception, that Magna Charta limited the supremacy of parliament. . . . If it be so, then Magna Charta is a restriction on the power of the people to govern themselves through their own representatives, and you have the instrument which was designed to insure the people's liberties against encroachment of royal authority twisted to deprive the people's representatives, in parliament assembled, of the right to legislate as they deem best in the interest of the people." . . . There is, to my mind, no shadow of doubt that this parliament has power to say that, under certain circumstances, there shall be no writ of habeas corpus." The Minister of Justice then quoted the section printed above, and said:

"It is the express declaration of this parliament that no court and no judge by any means whatsoever shall have jurisdiction to interfere with the order of the minister or of the authorities under the Immigration act. The very first thing that you require to enable a judge to issue a writ of habeas corpus is that he should have jurisdiction. Action of a judge without jurisdiction is vain, and this parliament has said in so many words that there is no jurisdiction in any judge by any means whatsoever to interfere with the action of the authorities under the Immigration act."

Our contemporary, in disputing by implication the constitutionality of the section we have quoted, thus falls foul of the views of the chief law officer of the government it supports. It likewise is in conflict with the other constitutional authorities who sat in the house in 1910, when the section was passed, because they apparently held the same views as the present Minister of Justice. If it is the opinion of the Minister of Justice that under the section we have quoted there can be no appeal from the decision of the Immigration authorities, why has the government, through its counsel, agreed

with the counsel for the Hindus that the matter should go before the courts? The object of that provision, passed after due deliberation by the parliament of Canada, was to facilitate the enforcement of the Immigration Act, preventing those tedious delays which were bound to intervene if the rejected applicants managed to get their cases into the channels of court procedure. As far as we recollect, it was under that section that the Hon. Mr. Doherty, who at the time was acting as Minister of the Interior, gave the order for the deportation of Harry K. Thaw. A writ of habeas corpus had been issued, but it was ignored on instructions from headquarters by the immigration officers, who took the fugitive from the custody of the court and hurried him across the international boundary line. We do not recall that our contemporary in that case attacked the government for daring to "interfere with the operation of the law of the land." On the contrary, in common with the rest of the country, it applauded what had been done.

WARNING THEM AWAY.

The Canadian government is advertising in British newspapers advising mechanics and artisans and all but agricultural laborers and domestic servants not to come to Canada. It is expected that the immigration to this country will decrease by fifty per cent. this year.

We do not criticize the action of the government in warning people of the United Kingdom of the conditions existing in Canada at the present time, but we cannot forbear comment upon the circumstances which make this course necessary. During the Laurier regime of fifteen years there was no occasion for advertisements of such a character. The country was uniformly prosperous. The demand for labor was equal to, if not greater than, the supply. Canada advanced to world prominence with enormous strides, and no province made greater progress than British Columbia.

Now under the "let well enough alone" policy conditions have changed. The party who deluded the Canadian electorate into voting down a measure designed to increase the country's trade in the belief that if it was carried bad times would occur are forced to advise people to keep away from the Dominion. It was a new economic doctrine that was expounded in 1911—that the extension of trade would be a bad thing for the country—but unhappily it was believed by the majority of the voters.

WHOSE IS THE RESPONSIBILITY?

The Colonist says the case of the Hindus must be left to the courts—that the law is superior to the government. On the other hand, H. H. Stevens, M. P., another eminent Tory authority, holds that the courts cannot be trusted, that "we have in British Columbia some judges who are willing to give judgments contrary to what is the clear meaning of the act. We are prepared to go to court with this case if we could get a fair court to go to, but there is too much at stake. We all know the intention of the act is to restrict immigration, but there may be some technical loophole." So there you are. Could not G. H. Barnard, M. P., who is in favor of "absolute exclusion," throw some light upon a subject which is becoming all muddled up as a result of the vacillation of a government in which he has displayed unshakable confidence. Perhaps our member might condescend to tell us why hitherto it has been so easy to meet ships containing ineligible at William Head and reject those who are inadmissible on the spot, while in the case of the Komagata the whole quota of passengers was carried on to Vancouver to become the subject of apparently interminable legal proceedings, mingled with the herculean and absurd abduction schemes of H. H. Stevens, M. P. If the Borden government is not responsible for the whole burlesque and for what may follow of probably an entirely different character, upon whom shall the responsibility be placed? We say without hesitation that if there had been men capable of action in charge of the affairs of the country the case of the Komagata Maru would have been disposed of in such a manner as to obviate the complications and the controversies that have arisen and threaten to raise very grave issues indeed.

SOFTENED THE QUESTION.

The Montreal Methodist Conference recently decided to reject as a topic for discussion during Bible study hours the question, "Can a millionaire be a Christian?" The decision was not reached without a spirited debate, in which the unhappy men of millions came in for some hard knocks, but finally it was agreed that even they had feelings which should be respected, so the form of the subject was changed to "Christianity and Wealth." This did not mean an embargo on expressions of doubt as to the spiritual status of the millionaire but that the discussion

would have to proceed under a euphemistic title which would not harrow up the souls of those unfortunates who had managed to get into the millionaire class.

One delegate admitted that while it was hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven, it was not impossible, but were we to accept literally the dictum that it was easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter paradise we would have to concede that the millionaire had no prospect of such translation at all. But we do not believe it was intended that so rigid a construction should be placed upon that declaration. Although wealth, luxury, and the means by which they are acquired, often make men neglectful of the laws of Sinai, the record does not show that they have stumbled any more than the men who have tried to acquire them and failed. As far as it is humanly possible to judge, many rich men have been good men, although they may not have been millionaires. There are good and bad in all classes and the seven seas of society are strewn with human derelicts.

The date has been fixed for laying the corner stone of the half million dollar British Columbia building in London. The stone will be laid ceremonially by a member of the Royal family, which hardly seems fitting considering that the building will represent what may be termed the crowning folly of the McBride government. In the present condition of provincial finances surely such an immense sum could have been better applied than in rearing an edifice of such dimensions in the city of London. None of the other provinces of the Dominion has such a building, and no one can tell what this province will do with this one after it is built—unless of course it is intended to house Sir Richard McBride himself and an imposing staff in succession to J. H. Turner and his modest retinue. Of course if Sir Richard, failing to get the High Commissionership, is going to appropriate the position of agent-general, he must be given accommodation in keeping with his knightly dignity. What right have mere taxpayers to cavil at the expense?

Sir Robert Borden is leaving Ottawa upon a holiday trip. The cares of state, many of which are of his own making, do not sit lightly upon the shoulders of the Premier. We doubt not that he needs relaxation and hope he will benefit from his vacation. In the meantime to some one else will be delegated the task of watching the progress of the Oriental problem the general supineness of the government has created in British Columbia. There are some things that cannot be "handled" satisfactorily simply by "leaving well enough alone." There are occasions when action is necessary. The Borden government has been three years in power and as yet has given no indication that upon any matter is it capable of action.

Colonel Roosevelt makes a mistake when he attempts to ridicule the accomplishments of President Wilson. It is true Mr. Wilson is neither fussy nor demonstrative. He does not flourish a big stick nor make flamboyant speeches. He neither bullies nor cringes. But he generally has his way. He controls and directs congress. He has brought some of the "big interests" to their knees. Col. Roosevelt encountered the same forces, and while he may think he terrorised them, all the evidence goes to show that they simply laughed at him and regarded his menaces as merely "play-acting." Silent and placid forces always are the most powerful.

If the federal government believes the versions of the Komagata Maru situation appearing in the eastern press we are not surprised that it is a panic. We have just read one particularly brilliant product of a gay and festive imagination. It was that the officers of the two Japanese cruisers were to place a party of sailors on the ship, and that the Hindus were armed and would resist the boarding party, with the result that the waters of Burrard Inlet would be dyed with blood. The suspicion that the Japanese government would intervene in such a situation is a reflection upon the intelligence of the Tokio authorities.

The Prince of Wales, a dispatch says, had a narrow escape yesterday. Two Suffragettes nearly got him, and in an embarrassing situation at that. At least it would have been embarrassing to anyone but a Suffragette. His Royal Highness was enjoying a bath, and had to swim for it. The telegraph does not tell us whether the intrepid ladies captured his royal garments and carried them off as a trophy.

It is estimated that since the Borden government attained power it has contributed to the coffers of Mackenzie & Mann of the money of the people of Canada at the rate of one dollar per second. If to this be added the tribute paid by the McBride government from the pockets of the people of British Columbia, the total of the sum will prove that the Canadian Northern magnates have abundant reason to be

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The lowest prices for coal are quoted right now. Summer schedule is in force. It is easy to order at once and save money as to forget it and pay more later.

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well pleased with the treatment they have received.

The Greeks are purchasing warships and mobilizing their fleet. They say they are getting ready for any emergencies that may arise. Emergencies generally arise very quickly in the neighborhood where the Greek fleet is mobilizing. But what could be expected when we are assured there cannot be any real peace in Europe while the Turk has one foot on the western side of the Bosphorus?

King Peter of Serbia is reported to have abdicated his throne. His experience as ruler of the Balkan state has demonstrated the truth of the adage, "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown." He was forced into the purple by a band of cut-throats who has assassinated the reigning family which preceded him and he never has been sure that their daggers would not be turned against him.

Whatever the result of the Ontario elections, there is a general consensus of opinion that Sir James Whitney at Toronto the other evening delivered a vaudeville address to the people. Sir James is well stricken in years, has spent a strenuous life, and will retire into a government office specially reserved for him.

Australia is going in for more submarines, destroyers and fast light cruisers. Canada's naval policy consists of two training ships and a department at Ottawa to which has been transferred control over the fisheries. What the issuing of cannery licenses has to do with a naval organization only Sir Robert Borden knows.

Sir Percy Scott says that big ships are obsolete and that the effective navy should consist of submarines, aeroplanes and fast cruisers. Mr. Barnard disagrees with the well-known British naval authority. He says cruisers, destroyers and submarines would make a tin-pot navy, or rather he said so three years ago.

"Mr. Churchill flies," says a newspaper heading. This means precisely what it says. The First Lord of the Admiralty was qualifying for an aerial pilot's certificate, not running from a gang of militant suffragettes.

One thing is clear with respect to the elections in Ontario—the electors of that province are having the time of their lives. They never have enjoyed so much excitement since pre-confederation days.

Before the city authorizes the prosecution of private owners for allowing thistles to grow in their yards it ought to rid its own property of the pest.

NORWEGIAN INQUIRY ON EMPRESS WRECK IS NEXT

Report to Be Taken at Consulate and Forwarded on to the Government.

Montreal, June 26.—Another chapter in the Empire of Ireland disaster will be begun to-morrow, when a maritime inquiry ordered by the Norwegian government will be started in the Norwegian consulate-general's office in Montreal over the collier Storstad, which rammed and sank the C. P. R. liner Empress of Ireland on May 29 with the result that over 1,000 people perished. Captain Andersen, with his officers and crew will appear before the inquiry and will probably leave Quebec for Montreal to-day. The inquiry is to be held in private and it was stated at the consulate this morning that it will be an ordinary inquiry without judgments or forming of opinions as to the guilty party or parties to the disaster.

William Johannesson, pre-temper consul-general for Norway in Canada, will be in charge of the inquiry. Mr. Jorstad, the secretary of the Norwegian consulate in Montreal, explained that the object of the inquiry was to make a report to the government in Norway.

In the case of the Storstad, the local government authorities have received special instructions to go ahead with the inquiry. The matter was delayed by the inquiry conducted by Lord Mersey in Quebec, and it was found impossible to start until the evidence had been heard first. The Quebec inquiry is not complete yet, but the principal evidence has been given and the argument only remains to be heard.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

Saturday's Bargain News

AT 2.30 P.M., SATURDAY

Big Sale of Women's House Dresses at Half-Price

Regular \$1.90 Grade 95¢ For . . . . . 95¢

One of the best sales of Women's and Misses' House Dresses we've had for a long time—and it's certainly the lowest priced one.

Such a sensational sale as this will create a big demand, and we fully expect a big crowd of customers, so we would strongly urge all who intend taking advantage of this offering to be here sharp on time to save disappointment.

There are Dresses in plain prints, percale and gingham, also in fancy stripes, spots and floral effects. A splendid assortment of styles and colorings that will appeal to all, and surely after this there will be no excuse for any woman being without a smart, new House Dress. Sale will start sharp at 2.30 p.m.

—Mantle Dept., First Floor

AT 2.30 P. M. SATURDAY

Extraordinary Sale of Children's Sample Dresses

Regular to \$4.50 for \$1.50

One of the best ranges of Sample Dresses we've ever offered at this price. They are really lovely dresses and fortunate indeed will be the girls who become the possessors of them. They are in ratines, pique, colored cotton crepes, gingham and English prints. Some in the Balkan style, others with loose and tight fitting belts; some with Peplum effect and many other new novelty styles. A good range of colors and all sizes from 2 to 14 years. Sharp on time will be necessary to get one.

See Window Display for Sample

Children's Dept.—First Floor

Special Sale of Women's White Shoes Saturday, at \$2.95

Regular Values to \$5.00

A Special Holiday Offering in Women's Shoes that are wanted for present wear. There's usually a big demand for White Shoes for Dominion Day, and this year we intend that our sales in this direction shall exceed that of other years. We are therefore making this extraordinary offer to help us accomplish our object. In the lot there are—

- White Nubuck Colonial Pumps, with buckle.
White Nubuck Button Oxfords.
White Nubuck Pumps, with ribbon bow.
White Canvas Button Boots, with high or low heel.
Also Grey Suede Button Oxfords and Colonial Pumps, Queen Quality Makes.
Saturday all day while they last.

—First Floor

Middy, Balkan and Norfolk Waists, Specially Suited for Holiday Wear

These popular styles adapt themselves most beautifully to outing and picnic wear. We are now showing a new range specially priced as follows—

- Middy Waist, made of good quality linen finished with striped drill collar and cuffs, in colors navy, sky and cardinal. Patch pocket, lace front. Special at . . . . . \$1.00
Middy Waist, in plain white with sailor collar of blue trimmed white braid, lace front and patch pocket. Special value at . . . . . \$1.25
Norfolk Waist of white pique, with collar of plain color, in sky, navy, cardinal and tan. Splendid value for . . . . . \$1.50
Balkan Style, in white, with collar in stripes and dot effects, patch pocket. Special value at . . . . . \$1.25

—First Floor

Preserve the Natural Beauty of Your Hair

YOUR hair needs careful attention, and the daily use of some well known and tried hair dressing is essential. If you are troubled with dandruff or dry, brittle and lustreless hair, we will be pleased to advise you as to the best preparation to use for your particular case. In our Drug Department you will find a full line of all the reliable kinds of hair helps at considerably reduced prices.

- Newbro's Herpicide, \$1.00 size . . . . . 85¢
Newbro's Herpicide, 50c size . . . . . 45¢
7 Sutherland Sisters' Hair Grower, \$1.00 size for . . . . . 90¢
7 Sutherland Sisters' Hair Grower, 50c size 45¢
7 Sutherland Sisters' Shampoo, 50c size 45¢
Edwards' Hairene, \$1.00, \$1.00 and . . . . . 45¢
Danderine, 90c, 45c and . . . . . 25¢
Parisian Sage . . . . . 45¢
Hay's Hair Health, 90c and . . . . . 45¢
Ayer's Hair Vigor . . . . . 90¢
Salvia . . . . . 45¢
Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, 90c and . . . . . 45¢
Lavona Mixture, complete . . . . . \$1.00
Howard's Hair Restorer . . . . . 50¢
Lambert's Hair Growth, 85c and . . . . . 45¢
Mrs. Potter's Walnut Stain . . . . . \$1.00
Wainutta . . . . . 60¢
Machela, for a few days, \$1.00 size for . . . . . 50¢
Rigaud's Aristocratic Hair Lotion, in all colors. To introduce this exquisite dressing, the \$1.00 size is being sold for . . . . . 75¢

Whalbone Hair Brushes are recommended by all the leading hair parlors. We have a fine assortment at low prices. —Main Floor

Saturday Candy Specials

- Cocoanut Taffy, per lb. . . . . 20¢
Molasses Peppermints, reg. 40c lb. 25¢
Cocoanut Croquettes, 50c lb. . . . . 35¢
Orchard Fruits, 40c lb. . . . . 25¢
Barley Sugar, per lb. . . . . 40¢

SOMETHING COOLING

- Fizzo Persian Sherbet, per tin. . . . . 25¢ —Main Floor

Children's Rompers, Special at 50c

A complete new line in fancy prints and gingham, in stripes and checks, and colors pink, blue and tan. Splendid value for . . . . . 50¢ —First Floor

Ice Creams

Loganberry, Strawberry and Vanilla, served in the tea room Saturday. —Second Floor

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You were going to get that camera before Dominion Day? Choose now. All kinds of Eastman's Kodaks and Brownies at



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## Dolly Varden Frillings

Have you seen the new Dolly Varden floral crepe frillings? They are quite the last word in dainty trimmings—only 25c a yard! There are also many pretty shadow lace and chiffon frillings, varying in price from 40c to 25c a yard.

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originated from sparks dropping on the shingles." It very often does, and to protect your home you must protect your roof. "N.A.G. SLATING COMPOSITION" both protects and preserves. Maker's price \$1.10 per gallon, in four-gallon tins.

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## NEW POST

### Native Sons of B. C.

The members of Post No. 1 of the Native Sons' Society of B. C. have decided that in the best interests of the Society the time has arrived when another Post could be established in Victoria, to the material benefit of the Order and Native Sons, and therefore any native born white British Columbian over the age of 18 years, of good character, who is interested and would like to join this new Post should make application at as early a date as possible to the undersigned. The objects of the Society are: Mutual benefit, mental improvement and social intercourse; to perpetuate and cherish in the minds of all native sons the memories of the "Pioneers," etc. Further particulars will be given on application to

REGINALD HAYWARD, Recording Secretary Post No. 1, 784 Broughton St., Victoria, B.C. PHILIP J. HALL, 629 John Street.

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## Public Notice

A public meeting will be held in the City Hall at 3 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, June 30, for the purpose of discussing the iron resources of Vancouver Island, and the best methods that can be pursued to secure the establishment of iron and steel industries in the vicinity of Victoria. This meeting is arranged under the auspices of the City Council, the Victoria and Island Development Association, the Board of Trade, the Real Estate Exchange, and the Rotary Club. A. STEWART, Mayor.

To the educated as reader QUALITY OF GOODS is of first importance—price-concessions secondary.

## BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Wm. Stewart, Men's and Ladies' Tailor, A. Campbell building, corner Fort and Douglas street.

"Versatiles," including Billy Oswald, Stadacona park, 3 and 5 p. m.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1732.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

"Versatiles," including Billy Oswald, Stadacona park, 3 and 5 p. m.

The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 734 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2255.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 7 to a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3333. 2612 Bridge street.

"Versatiles," including Billy Oswald, Stadacona park, 3 and 5 p. m.

For Fire, marine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

Wanted to Purchase.—Good agreements for sale at reasonable rates. Colonial Trust Company, Limited, Merchants Bank building.

Lawn Mower Hospital, 614 Cormorant. Successful operations daily.

SANDS Funeral Furnishing Co., Limited, Funeral Directors and Licensed Embalmers. You will find our charges reasonable. Prompt and courteous. Service day or night. Phone 3506. Lady in attendance, 1515 Quadra street.

"Versatiles," including Billy Oswald, Stadacona park, 3 and 5 p. m.

A Large Dental Practice—built strictly on business principles which represent an honest effort, good material and a guaranteed result. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St.

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Hanna & Thomson, Funeral Directors 837 Pandora avenue. Phone 498. Connections. Vancouver-Winnipeg. Auto service, lady attendant.

If You Want a Truck or Express Wagon or Tally-Ho for picnics, phone 693. Cameron and Caldwell. Phone 693. 820 Johnson.

A Reliable Dentist—One who will guarantee all his work. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St. Open evenings.

Elite Studio, 909 Government St.—Films developed; Lantern Slides Portraits.

The Umbrella Shop, 610 Pandora St.

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Awnings will keep your rooms nice and cool during the hot summer days. Why not have your windows covered before the heat becomes unbearable. Best materials used, workmanship guaranteed. My prices are the lowest in the city. Ask for samples. Estimates free. Galloway's Furniture store, phone 1232L2, 2649 Douglas street, near Hillside Ave.

Mr. Storekeeper—Why worry about your deliveries? Phone up Acme Auto Delivery. Phone 3712.

Scholarships for Art Students.—Particulars of six scholarships that are being offered by the commissioners of the exhibition of 1851 to candidates who are British subjects not over thirty years of age on July 1 next have been received by his honor the lieutenant-governor from the office of the high commissioner in London. These are in architecture, sculpture and decorative painting. The Rome scholarship in each subject is of an annual value of £200 for three years and will be tenable at the British school in Rome. The Jarvis studentship is of the annual value of £200 for two years tenable at the same school, but it is confined to students or associates of the R. I. E. A.

Piercy's Ice Cream—944 Fort St.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, June 26, 1889.

Sir Henry W. Ambridge, of Selly, Cambridge, is visiting Victoria. At Hillside school yesterday, a presentation of a silver crest was made to Miss Gowen, who is leaving. Trustee Erskine made the presentation, and read an address from the pupils.

The Crocker party made a brief inspection of the Union mines, Comox, on Monday, and were satisfied with the outlook. Already there are 10,000 tons of coal mined, and the collier San Mateo, was loading at the time of the visit another 4,500 tons. It is intended to make the output 50,000 tons per month.

E. V. Bodwell, president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, is in the city.

Another Smash-up.—It's shoe price this time and Stewart's shoe store at 1221 Douglas street, the scene of the disaster. Make sure you get one of their big bargains. Read page 12.

Fine Trips Around the Sound week-ly by S. S. President or Governor. Phone P. C. S. S. Co. for particulars.

Water Board Meetings.—Meetings of the board of investigation under the Water act will be held at Kamloops on Monday, in respect to the waters of Cherry creek and other flowing into Kamloops lake, and on August 20, in respect to the waters of Monte creek and others flowing into the South Thompson river.

City in Receiver's Hands.—For the past couple of years the city of Sandton, in the Slovan district, has been in the hands of a receiver, and will be for a year more or less. In the current issue of the B. C. Gazette notice is given that from June 27 D. A. McClelland will be receiver in place of A. J. Ryder.

Will Lay Corner-stone.—A cable from Hon. J. H. Turner, agent-general in London, to the premier, conveys that the news of L. R. H. Bence's return of Connaught has consented to lay the corner-stone of the new British Columbia government building in the metropolis. The date has been fixed for July 16.

Luther League.—A very enjoyable social evening was spent by the members of the Luther league of St. Paul's Lutheran church on Wednesday, the gathering being preceded by a short business meeting. The young people were entertained by the Misses Rohse and Stoltz, assisted by Mr. Kipping. Games and music formed the pastime, and delicious refreshments were served before the guests dispersed.

Victoria Girls Succeeded.—P. R. Pomfret, honorary secretary of the British Columbia centre, Royal Life-Saving Society, has received word of the success of three Victoria girls at the recent proficiency tests held at Toronto by the society there. Miss Edna Grant, Miss Dora Patrick and Miss Myrtle Patrick obtained certificates of proficiency in life-saving and swimming.

Plans Presented.—Preliminary plans of the Johnson Street bridge were before a committee of the city council yesterday afternoon. The plans were approved and further progress will be made prior to the preparation of the necessary by-law.

Two New Books.—Among the new books at the public library this week are a "New Mercantile Marine Atlas," with canvas-backed maps which especially mark out the great trade routes and ports of lading and unloading, and the "Harmsworth Atlas and Gazetteer" with an index of 165,000 names.

Held Debate.—In an evenly-contested debate on Monday evening before the Metropolitan Epworth leaguers and their friends, the negative defeated the affirmative side on the question: "Resolved that Asiatic immigration is detrimental to the best interests of our country." Following the debate there was an interesting discussion of the subject. A large audience was present.

Poultry in British Columbia.—W. H. Ault, of the poultry branch of the federal department of agriculture, is here for a few days and is visiting many of the poultry ranches in the vicinity of the city. He considers that in this province the poultryman has the opportunities that the eastern man can never have, especially in the matter of winter egg production. Mr. Ault declares that the idea of Chinese eggs being unwholesome is ridiculous. They are just the same as any other eggs, and thousands of them as being used in this country. To assist in the candling of eggs, which is necessary if they are to be kept for some time, the government is distributing in response to requests cardboard lamps which may be used over either a kerosene lamp or an electric bulb.

LOCAL EVENTS OF INTEREST SHOWN IN MOTION PICTURES.

The first of the B. C. weekly news pictures is being shown at the Romano theatre to-day and to-morrow. The various scenes shown are: The Komagata Maru with the Hindus aboard, in Vancouver harbor; street scene in Japanese quarter, Vancouver, B. C.; Japanese cruisers Asama and Azuma in Vancouver harbor; ad. men's visit to Vancouver, June 12, etc.

Knocked Down by Motor.—Chong, a Chinese residing on Flaggard street, was knocked down by a motor car driven by H. W. Brown yesterday afternoon, but he was not seriously hurt. The car man, who was driving along without paying much attention to his surroundings, stepped off the sidewalk into the roadway just a few yards ahead of the motor and started to walk across the street. Mr. Brown sounded his horn but Chong did not appear to hear him and walked on. There was no time to bring the car to a stop before it struck him, but as it was not going fast it did not hit him with any great force, and was stopped almost at once. Chong was taken to the police station by Mr. Brown and there he was given first aid and went home himself. He sustained a few bruises and a slight cut.

Organizing Adult School.—A meeting was held in the Strangers' Rest last evening when an address was delivered by J. E. Carpenter, honorary secretary of the Vancouver branch of the men's adult school movement. Mr. Carpenter, who also presided over the meeting, outlined the main features of the movement, stating facts showing the progress it had made in Great Britain and in most of the Dominions. Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver were the principal centres in Canada. Being entirely non-sectarian and non-political and receiving the co-operation of churches of all creeds it had been of service to men for many years. Several speakers supported the chairman as to the desirability of the work being fostered in Victoria. G. Brown, 2427 Fernwood road, formerly a member of Grimsby adult school, England, was elected secretary pro tem, and a committee consisting of J. Cass, E. Coventry, A. Saville and J. L. Martin was elected to make arrangements for opening the school here and to take steps to secure suitable rooms.

The minute we enfranchise a small class of the women the rest of the women would smart under a sense of injustice much more keen than anything they feel at present. Women object to nothing more than to be ruled by other women.—Professor Burnett.

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- "Sicilienne," Francoeur; and "Rigaudon," Kreutzer, Violin (Samuel Gardner).
  - "Mignonne," Rudolf Friml, Violin (Samuel Gardner).
  - "The Bells," Burlesque, Frank Stillwell, Male Voices, Orch. Acc. (Percles Quartette).
  - "Fragtime Dream," Fife, Goodwin and Brown, Negro Duet (Arthur Collins and Byron G. Harlan).
  - "Isle d'Amour," Waite Heintzton, Leo Edwards, For Dancing (Band).
  - "Nao Faco Isso," Duque-Sarrobio, For Dancing (Band).
  - "Amapa," Maxixe, J. Stronl, For Dancing (Band).
  - "Mand," Tango, Wm. H. Tyers, For Dancing (Band).
  - "Serenade," Franz Schubert, Violin, Violoncello, Flute and Harp (Instrumental Quartette).
  - "Summer Dreams," E. S. Phelps, Violin, Violoncello, Flute and Harp (Instrumental Quartette).
  - "The Bubble," High Jinks, Rodulf Friml, Tenor (Emory B. Randolph and Chorus).
  - "Just Because It's You," The Little Cafe, Ivan Caryll, Soprano (Elizabeth Spencer and Chorus).
  - "Sing Me the Rosemary," Henri Klockmann, Tenor (Irving Gillette and Mixed Chorus).
  - "I'll Change the Shadows to Sunshine," Ernest B. Ball, Soprano and Tenor (Mary Carson and Emory Randolph).
  - "Macabre," Dermot Macmurrough, Tenor (Emory B. Randolph).
  - "The Land of Golden Dreams," E. E. Dusenberry, Soprano and Baritone (Elizabeth Spencer and Vernon Archibald).
  - "When the Roses Bloom," Luisa Reichardt, Soprano and Tenor (Elizabeth Spencer, Emory B. Randolph and Chorus).
  - "The Boat With My True Love's Name," Collin Coe, Contralto and Baritone (Helen Clark and Vernon Archibald).

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## CONSIDER EASEMENTS

B. C. Telephone Company Indicates That City Must Make the Next Move. The period of negotiation is almost at an end and that the city must act was made clear by representatives of the B. C. Telephone company to the special committee of the city council which met last evening to consider the situation with regard to easements for connections between the underground conduits and the various downtown blocks. The city is committed to the policy of securing easements for the company's wires, under an agreement ratified by the electors in January, 1910.

## "Won in the Clouds"—A Masterpiece of Thrills

At the Romano Theatre To-day and To-morrow.

"Won in the Clouds" is the greatest thriller Otis Turner, director, ever staged. Produced at the Universal-Pacific Coast studios, it is six reels of vivid action packed into three with one sensation after another permeating the piece. The story is a thrilling one of South African adventure, and featuring Roy Knabenshue, one of the greatest living aeronauts, and his 150-foot, twelve-passenger dirigible balloon; also "Arabia," the horse with a human intellect, and a den of six lions. The aeronaut actually acts in the production, and many thrilling scenes have been taken from the big balloon. Herbert Rawlinson, who created a sensation after another permeating the piece. The story is a thrilling one of South African adventure, and featuring Roy Knabenshue, one of the greatest living aeronauts, and his 150-foot, twelve-passenger dirigible balloon; also "Arabia," the horse with a human intellect, and a den of six lions. 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### Men's \$6 Boots, \$2.95

All of our Men's \$5.00 to \$6.00 Boots that we have out in our bins; about 50 pairs of Vici Kid, Velour Calf and Tan Calf, all sizes, will be priced for Saturday only

**\$2.95**

### Men's \$5 Oxfords, \$2.95

All of our Men's \$5.00 Black Calf Oxfords, all sizes. They come in single and double soles. Will be cleared up Saturday, at

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### Men's \$5 Kid Boots, \$2.65

One lot of 24 pairs of Men's \$5.00 Glace Kid Boots, all leather lined, all sizes, will be priced for Saturday only

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### Men's Pullman Slippers, \$1.65

All of our Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Pullman Slippers. They come in black and Tan Kid; all sizes. For Saturday only

**\$1.65**

### Men's \$1.50 House Slippers, 95c

One lot of Men's \$1.50 House Slippers, all sizes, will be priced until Saturday night only at

**95c**

### Ladies' Boots, Saturday Only, \$1

We will put on sale Saturday about 150 pairs of Ladies' \$3.00 to \$5.00 values. Boots, Buskin Slippers, Oxfords and Strap Slippers. They are the broken lines that have accumulated during the sale. The sizes are not complete in any one line, but you will find all sizes in this lot. We don't want them to go back in stock. They will be priced for Saturday only at

**\$1**

### Ladies' \$5 and \$6 Boots, \$1.95

One lot of about 35 pairs of Ladies' \$5.00 and \$6.00 Boots, all good, stylish boots in patent leather, velour calf and tan calf. Nearly all sizes. They are values that we have been selling during the past eight days of our sale at \$2.85 and \$3.45. They are out in the Bargain Bins. We don't want to put them back in stock again, and they will be priced for Saturday, as long as they last, at

**\$1.95**

### Canvas Oxfords and Slipper Sale, 50c

One lot of about 75 pairs of Women's, Misses' and Children's One-Strap White Canvas Slippers and White Oxfords. Values from \$1.00 to \$1.50. All sizes. We are going to close out this entire line. You will have to do your shopping early if you expect to get your size, as it is just getting the time of the year when every one wants to wear something cool. Priced for Saturday only

**50c**

### Misses' Shoes, \$1

One lot of about 75 pairs of Misses' Boots, Oxfords and Strap Slippers, all sizes. Values up to \$3.00, will be priced for Saturday only, or as long as they last at

**\$1**

### Children's Shoes at 75c

One lot of about 60 pair of Children's Shoes, Oxfords and Strap Slippers, sizes 4 to 10. Regular values up to \$3.00. Saturday prices only

**75c**

### Barefoot Sandal Sale

One lot of Tan Barefoot Sandals, all sizes, from infants' No. 2 up to Misses' No. 2. Regular selling price \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Saturday

**50c, 75c and 95c**

### Ladies' \$1.50 Slippers, 75c

One lot of Ladies' \$1.50 One-Strap Slippers, all sizes. Priced until Saturday night at

**75c**

### Infants' Shoes, 50c

We have got another lot of Infants' and Children's Shoes and Strap Slippers, sizes 1 to 7. Values up to \$1.50. Saturday prices only

**50c**

Once more let us remind you that the above prices are for SATURDAY ONLY. Don't put off coming too late Saturday. Shop early. While the stock is large and the bargains many, there is always a choice, and many of them will not last long. So if you want to get the cream of bargains come early. When we sell what we have out on display, that is all. They will all be sold out. No more like them. That is our reason for making this great sacrifice for Saturday. There will not be a pair of the shoes go back on the shelf. Come and secure your share of the bargains.

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**SPORTING NEWS**  
**Spokane Shut Out**  
**Bees Still Winning**

Calvo Scores Winning Run on Wild Pitch; Hall for Tacoma Club

Spokane, June 26.—With the Bees continuing their winning streak at the expense of the Spokane Indians, there appears to be nothing but a first division berth for the Victoria men. Bobby Steele turned in a big league game yesterday and blanked the Indians, while his team mates managed to send a single tally across the rubber.

Three hits was the sum total of the Indians' work for the afternoon, brilliant fielding by the Bees keeping the locals from getting past second base. Victoria had five safe blows off Harry Hughes. In the eighth Calvo's bunt, along with a wild pitch to third by Holke, allowed the speedy Cuban to complete the circuit. Scanlon followed up this bit of pilfering by sending out a clean single, so that the Cuban would have scored in any event.

This is the eleventh win out of the last seventeen games for the Victoria club, and three out of four on the present road trip.

Spokane	A.	B.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Lewis, l. f.	2	0	0	2	0	0	0
Holter, s. s.	4	0	0	1	3	0	0
Holke, l. b.	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Frisk, r. f.	3	0	0	3	0	0	0
Wagner, 2 b.	3	0	1	4	2	0	0
Hogan, c. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wuffli, 3 b.	3	0	1	1	3	2	0
Shea, c.	3	0	0	6	1	0	0
Hughes, p.	2	0	1	0	2	0	0
Altman	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	2	27	11	3	

\*Batted for Lewis in ninth.

Victoria	A.	B.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Moran, c. f.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Nye, 2 b.	3	0	0	3	2	0	0
Calvo, c. f.	3	1	0	3	0	0	0
Wilhoit, l. f.	4	0	1	3	0	0	0
Scanlon, 3 b.	3	0	1	1	1	0	0
Kelly, l. b.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Delmas, s. s.	4	0	0	2	1	0	0
Hoffman, c.	4	0	1	7	2	0	0
Steele, p.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	5	27	7	0	

Score by innings:  
 Spokane 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0  
 Victoria 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-1  
 Summary: Sacrifice hit—Nye. Stolen base—Lewis. Bases on balls—Off Hughes, 4; off Steele, 7. Struck out—By Hughes, 5; by Steele, 7. Left on bases—Spokane, 3; Victoria, 3. Time—1:45. Umpires—Burnside and Wilson.

Portland, Ore., June 26.—Russell Hall has resigned his position as umpire in the Tri-State league to accept the management of the Tacoma team in the Northwestern league.

Lincoln, Nebr., June 26.—Although refusing to give the price of the sale of Manager Charles Madden to the New York Americans which was announced early yesterday, President Hugh L. Jones stated that it was the highest price ever paid by a major league club for an infielder from the Western league.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 26.—Hal Chase was yesterday enjoined from playing ball in any federal league city in the state. The injunction was served on the former Chicago American first baseman as he was returning to the players' bench at the end of the second inning of the game between Buffalo and Pittsburgh. Chase at once retired from the field.

President Jack Dunn, of the Baltimore International league club, declares that he could realize nearly \$100,000 if he cared to place ten of his best players on the market.

"The day before yesterday Charles A. Comiskey, of the White Sox, offered me \$60,000 for six men," he said. "Practically every big league scout has been to me trying to purchase some of my men."

**CANADIANS WILL BE IN GRAND CONDITION**

Henley-on-Thames, Eng., June 26.—Comparisons are being made between the Winnipeg Rowing club and the eight of the Union Boat club of Boston, Mass., opinion being fairly evenly divided. Last evening the Canadians did a good half course row in 3 minutes. Dibble, whose splendid form inspires Nat Scholes with abundant optimism, sculled the full course in 8 minutes 30 seconds, his half-way time being 4 minutes 13 seconds.

The eight was out for an hour this morning, rowing easily at a stroke varying from 32 to 34 to the minute. The men covered the course in 7 minutes 30 seconds. The men are very fit and in good spirits.

Dibble paddled over the course. Fred Mauthie, president of the Don Rowing club, has arrived. The regatta draw takes place to-morrow.

Henley-on-Thames, Eng., June 26.—Bearing upon Winnipeg's chances for the grand challenge cup, a significant change has been made in the order of Leander's crew, R. C. Bourne, the well-known Oxford oarsman, having been deposed from stroke in favor of D. I. Day, who rowed how for Cambridge in the "Varsity" boat race.

The Canadians recorded their fastest time in a full course row, passing the half-way mark in 3 minutes 31 seconds. They pushed on vigorously to the winning post, which they reached in 7 minutes 14 seconds, which is rather better than the Argonaut fastest practice trial last year.

The Royal Theatre, after the show a little supper at The Kaiserhof.

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**LOCAL OFFICIALS FOR CUP MATCHES**

City Lacrosse League Will Be Formed at Once; Team Strengthened

That the success of the proposed City Lacrosse league depends entirely upon the willingness of the league executive to allow representative players to compete in this league was the sentiment expressed by several well-known Victoria lacrosse enthusiasts this morning. A meeting of the Victoria Lacrosse Association was held last night in Dr. Hall's office when it was decided to call for entries for this league, the list to close on July 6. It is expected that Oak Bay, Sidney, Victoria West and North Wards will enter teams, and a schedule will be drafted immediately.

A protest by the Victoria West Juniors against the Nationals was thrown out by the association, while the senior executive decided to give Skinner Poulin and Capt. Stan. Okell full power in the matter of selecting the team for the remainder of the Coast league matches.

A practise of the representative twelve will be held this evening at Oak Bay and one on Sunday morning, when the Sidney team will probably line up against the locals. Manager Poulin is very enthusiastic over his new players and he figures that White, of Armstrong, will prove a sensation.

Word was received from Vancouver last night that Joe Gorman has been selected as judge of play for to-morrow's Mann cup game at Vancouver, Lester Patrick was previously chosen as referee.

**AMATEUR BALL**

Beacon Hills made their lead in the Junior league more decisive last evening when they won from the fast Messenger team, 9-3, at Beacon Hill.

George Strait and his band of Clothiers downed the Red Sox Commercial league team by the score of 8-6.

To-morrow afternoon the fast White Sox intermediate nine will oppose the Nationals at the Royal Athletic Park, commencing at 3 o'clock. Sunday morning at 10 o'clock the Beacon Hill and Stroller nines will clash in a friendly game.

**SEATTLE AGAIN WINS.**

Seattle, Wash., June 26.—Two singles and a double in the eighth inning gave Seattle two runs and the game from Portland, 2-1, yesterday.

Tacoma, Wash., June 26.—Errors by the locals gave Vancouver three of the five runs made in yesterday's game won by Vancouver over Tacoma.

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**INTER-CITY ELEVEN TO PLAY NEXT WEEK**

While there are only a couple of high-class cricket matches scheduled in the Island league for to-morrow, the attention of the Vancouver Island officials is turned to the selection of an All-Star XI and league eleven to play at Vancouver on the holiday. The definite selection of the team will not be announced until after to-morrow's games.

Saturday's schedule:  
 June 27—A Ince vs. Oak Bay, Univ. St.  
 June 27—A Nanaimo v. Albion, Nanaimo  
 June 27—B Civ. Ser. v. Victoria, Park  
 June 27—B Navy v. Albion, Canteen

**BASEBALL**

The following will represent the Men's Own Cricket Club against the Oak Bay at Oak Bay to-morrow at 2:30 p.m.: A. Collett, H. Scarffe, W. R. Fargiter, E. Lock (capt.), H. Lock, R. V. Lea, A. E. Lea, J. Moffatt, J. W. Clarke, W. Erickson, Gordon Leeming. Reserves—W. Symons and W. J. M. Telfer.

**BOXING TO-NIGHT AT CANADA HALL**

Scotty McKay's double appearance at the V. I. A. A. smoker to-night in the Canada hall will be the feature of the boxing card.

**BASEBALL NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE**

Yesterday's Results:  
 Victoria, 1; Spokane, 0.  
 Vancouver, 5; Tacoma, 2.  
 Seattle, 2; Portland, 1.

Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Vancouver	46	24	.657
Seattle	46	25	.648
Spokane	42	30	.583
Portland	27	42	.391
Victoria	26	43	.377
Tacoma	26	47	.356

**COULON TO REFEREE.**

Vancouver, June 26.—Johnny Coulon, who lost the title of bantam-weight champion of the world to Kid Williams recently, and who is spending a few days in Vancouver, may be the third man in the ring in the Valse-O'Leary title match at Brighthouse arena next Wednesday afternoon.

**V.I. CIGAR**  
 Frank Schnoter, maker.

**SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY**

And the Bees are still winning.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 They will get a royal welcome on Monday.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 Ecotty McKay has two bouts booked for to-night's smoker.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 This fellow Steele is one of the most

valuable twirlers in the league right now.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 Champion Macan is surely upholding the honor of the capital in brilliant style at the Seattle golf tourney.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 Perhaps Canada may be able to score another International victory.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 The Bees' luck has turned. They won a single-run game at last.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 With McGinnity out of the way, Russ

Hall ought to be able to do better with the Tacoma club.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 Mike Lynch will now proceed to gather in some more Coast leaguers.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 Jack Johnson continues a strong favorite over Frank Moran.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 Townsley will also fill a big gap behind the plate.  
 ☆ ☆ ☆  
 Cyclone Scott and Frank Barrieau meet Saturday night at Duncan.

**FIGHTERS SUSPENDED.**

Helena, Mont., June 24.—Jack Dillon and Bob Moha were suspended for a period of six months for stalling at the recent fight in Butte. The action was taken by the Montana boxing commission, which held a meeting here yesterday.  
 You Can't Help asking for more at The Kaiserhof Cafe.  
 Bert Lamb will not break back into the game for a few days yet.

**WANT MORE ENTRIES.**

Officers of the Victoria Lawn Tennis club would like to see a few more entries filed for the handicap tourney which will be held at the club grounds starting on July 1. Entries will close on June 27 at 6 p.m.

**TYLER WINS AT TENNIS.**

Joe Tyler, formerly a Seattle boy, won the Idaho state championship last Saturday, which gives him permanent possession of the challenge cup. The

challenge round was won by H. S. Gray. Wood and Gray won the doubles by default. Miss Katherine Fix again won the women's singles.

**CRUISE TO PORT ANGELES.**

A number of Victoria yachtsmen will take in Saturday's cruise to Port Angeles under the R. V. Y. C. auspices. They will meet the Seattle fleet there and spend Sunday with the Sound men. On Wednesday the local fleet will take in the Cowichan regatta.

The motor-cyclist entered the hostility in rather a flustered condition. "Nearly broke my neck over a blooming dog," he explained to an acquaintance. "Don't you go grumbling at dogs," said an elderly philosopher. "All kinds of beasts was made for a purpose, and to my mind dogs was made to kill motor-cyclists and motor-cyclists to kill dogs. There's a providence in it all."

A man may know that he has arrived at middle age when he prefers a pipe and an easy chair before any physical adventure.—Mr. W. R. Titterton.



# MUNDAY'S



## Great Annual Clearance Sale of Boots and Shoes

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Crowds thronged our store on the opening day and secured the bargains we are literally giving away. Our staff was taxed to its utmost capacity, but to-morrow, Saturday, the help will be increased in order to give our customers better attention, but please come early as the store will be stormed in the evening. Not a single pair of Summer Shoes must remain on the shelves. We have cut the price to clear them out. Never in the history of Victoria has there been such a reckless sacrifice of reliable high-grade footwear. Remember, none of these shoes were bought for a sale. They are the HIGHEST GRADE SHOES MADE. But we are overstocked with them and are forced to clear them out, literally give them away.

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New toe, welted soles. Sold all over Canada at \$6.00 a pair. Munday's Sale price  
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**Men's White Canvas Boots**

With Goodyear welted soles. Regular \$3.50. While they last  
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**Men's Velour and Box Calf Blucher Bals.**

Solid all through. Values to \$4.50. Munday's Sale price  
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**Hart's, Barry's and Bell's Patent Oxfords in Button and Lace**

Values to \$7.00. Munday's Sale price  
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**Barry's Tan Calf and Russia Calf Blucher Bals.**

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 Low heels, with Pug toe linings, slightly soiled. Reg. \$4.50. Clearance price ..... **\$1.95**

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 Low heels and flexible soles. Clearance price ..... **95c**

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O. V. Borill, of Cowichan, is at the James Bay hotel.

Mrs. Machin, of Cowichan, is at the James Bay hotel.

A. E. Patterson, of Brantford, is at the Dominion hotel.

J. W. Good, of Winnipeg, is staying at the Empress hotel.

Owen Wilcock, of London, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

P. J. Higgins, of Spokane, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Graham, of Port Haney, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

J. A. Thomas, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

H. Culver, of London, England, has arrived at the James Bay hotel.

Robt. Graham, of Coquitlam, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

C. Rea registered at the Empress hotel this morning from Toronto.

W. Home, of Barkerville, registered at the Dominion hotel this morning.

George H. Stuckling registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Toronto.

W. T. Sinton registered at the Dominion hotel from Vancouver yesterday.

M. M. K. Mortland Dougall, of Halifax, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

W. Lockhart and Mrs. Lockhart, of Vancouver, are at the James Bay hotel.

W. R. Crane, of Portland, arrived in the city this morning, and went to the Empress hotel.

Ira T. Linek and Mrs. Linek, of San Francisco, are among the guests at the Empress hotel.

J. C. Bell and Mrs. Bell, of Tacoma, are staying at the Dominion hotel while in the city.

A. D. Shandy came over from Seattle on the night boat, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Dr. Dier, of Ladysmith, came into town last evening, and registered at the Empress hotel.

John J. Mooney, who registered at the Empress hotel this morning is from Grand Rapids, Mich.

James Chapman, of Nicola, is in the capital on business and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

W. R. W. Prescott, of Alberni, is in the capital on business, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

A. E. Rae and Mrs. Rae, of Quallcum Beach, are staying at the Dominion hotel while in town.

S. N. A. Campbell, of Trail, arrived in the capital this morning and registered at the Dominion hotel.

G. Morris and Mrs. Morris are among this morning's arrivals from Vancouver at the Dominion hotel.

J. A. Picard, of Montreal, is registered at the Empress hotel, having arrived in the city on this morning's boat.

A. H. Sperry, general manager of the Pacific Great Eastern railway, held a conference with the premier yesterday.

R. Blackwood-Wileman and Mrs. Blackwood-Wileman, of London, England, have arrived at the James Bay hotel.

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sent at the reception given at the parliament buildings to Vice-Admiral Kuroi, his staff and the cadets of the cruisers Asama and Azuma, of the imperial Japanese training squadron. Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, has written accepting an invitation from the director of the United States geological survey, asking him to attend a conference of engineers of the water resources branch to be held at Washington during the second week in December. The minister has been asked to read a paper dealing with the water resources of British Columbia, and has indicated his willingness to do so.

GREEN ROOM NOTES

ALLEN PLAYERS.

It was with great satisfaction that Miss Verna Felton and the Allen Players, who are this week appearing in "The Woman," came to the Royal Victoria theatre to present their offerings to Victoria play-goers, as in doing so they achieved the honor of being the first stock company to occupy the boards of the big new playhouse. The company is at its best in "The Woman" as being seen at the Royal, as the play suits the abilities of the actors excellently and the unusually complete facilities of the theatre open new avenues for artistic production. The secret of the success of the Allens with "The Woman" lies both in its very clever construction and the suitability of the various players to their respective roles. The audience is given a great surprise to begin with by discovering the leading woman character already on the stage, busy at a telephone switchboard. Then slowly gathering momentum like a big machine, the plot of the story moves faster and faster until both audience and actors lose themselves in the thrilling and intense interest it creates. Miss Felton reaches a new high mark in her part in the piece, as it is splendidly suited to her characteristics.

VARIED VAUDEVILLE.

With a cleverly-constructed act which is crowded plentifully with humorous features, O'Brien and Darrough are renewing acquaintances at the Empress theatre for the latter half of this week. The pair are no strangers to audiences in this city and the vehicle in which they have returned shows them at their best. Their patter, bristful of new jokes, is spoken in an easy, natural manner and their songs are sung with lightness and spirit. Grover and Silkwood have an unusual offering. The man's voice is a heavy baritone and the woman's is a very heavy contralto, both being round in tone and pleasingly under control. They are at home in both classical and popular selections and their duets are finely blended efforts. An amusing black and tan face act is put on by Casper and Clayton. The comedy of the number is added to by the eccentric dance the man engages in. William Marquis is a man of many accomplishments on musical instruments. On the saxophone he obtains a full, mellow tone and on the xylophone he performs with skill and taste. He concludes his act with a violin solo, followed by a dance which he offers while playing a jingle. The pictures are good.

SCRAP BOOK

Infant Prodiges Have Been Frequent Throughout History. Just the other day the newspapers told of the extraordinary range of learning and abnormal memory of a Denver youth, Cleo Smith, whose capacity for absorbing and retaining knowledge has won for him the title of the "human encyclopedia." Such cases, interesting as they are, lack novelty, for infant prodigies have been known in all ages throughout human history. Most wonderful of all credible cases of precocity and early development of abnormal powers, however, was that of Christian Heineken, who was born at Lubeck, in North Germany, 183 years ago to-day, June 26, 1721. It would be impossible to believe

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Porous knit or fine quality vests with crochet yokes in sleeveless or short sleeve style; 35¢ each, or 3 for \$1.00. Fine lisle thread Swiss ribbed union suits, in sleeveless style, with dainty crochet lace yokes, knee length. Regular \$2.00 value for \$1.65.

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Dominion Day. St. Andrew's S. S. Picnic to Mayne Island. Leaving C. P. R. wharf 9 a.m., returning 8.30 p.m. Good time assured. All welcome. Adults \$1.25. Children 55c. WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

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Victoria, June 25-5 p. m.—The barometer is high over the Pacific slope and fair weather is general, with light to moderate winds on the coast, Straits and Sound. Considerable rain has fallen in Alberta and Saskatchewan, and intense heat prevails in the southern states. Forecasts. For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature. Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 63; minimum, 52; wind, 12 miles S. W.; rain, trace; weather, clear, cloudy. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy. Barkerville—Barometer, 30.03; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 49; wind, calm; rain, .06; weather, part cloudy. Tatoush—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 63; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy. Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.23; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 52; wind, 10 miles S. E.; weather, clear. Seattle—Barometer, 30.23; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 54; wind, 10 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, clear. Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, cloudy. Calgary—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 35; wind, 4 miles N. W.; rain, .80; weather, clear. Edmonton—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 69; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, .10; weather, rain. Prince Albert—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 49; wind, 3 miles E.; weather, cloudy. Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 41; wind, 3 miles N. E.; weather, part cloudy. Temperature. Penticton ..... 75. Nelson ..... 58. Toronto ..... 86. Ottawa ..... 76. Montreal ..... 82. St. John ..... 58. Halifax ..... 62. Victoria Daily Weather. Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday: Temperature. Highest ..... 61. Lowest ..... 51. Average ..... 57. Bright sunshine, 8 hours 30 minutes. General state of weather, fair.

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THE BABY TROUPE. Russian dancers and instrumentalists appearing at Pantages this week.

the accounts of the feats performed by this astonishing baby, if they were not so well authenticated by scientists of the highest attainments, who could not possibly have been deceived. To begin with, little Christian was less than 24 hours old when he began to talk. He enunciated perfectly lengthy sentences, and while this gift was at first imitative, within a week of his arrival in the world he could speak sensibly and express perfectly the thoughts of a mature man. By the time he was a year old there were few subjects of conversation beyond his ken—and yet he was a small infant for his age! At 13 months he had mastered the Bible from cover to cover, and could quote entire chapters from almost any book of Holy Writ. After having absorbed the lore of the Old and New Testaments, he turned to history for mental pabulum. He was intensely interested in history, and at 30 months he could pass the strictest examination in both ancient and modern history, and could answer almost any question at random. He early developed linguistic ability, and at three was as familiar with French and Latin as with his native tongue. When a little past three he was taken to the royal court of Denmark, where his learning and gift of tongue astounded the ruler and nobles but the foremost scientific men of the country. German, French and Danish savants by the score put the youth to every possible test, and the explanations of his precocity were numerous and contradictory. Little Heineken did not live long in the world astonished by his powers. He was of delicate constitution, and was permitted to imbibe of nature's nourishment until he was past five. The physicians then advised the mother to wean him. It was a fatal mistake, for within a week he was dead.

Other instances of precocity shrink into insignificance when compared with the cases of Christian Heineken. Of other celebrated examples of infant precocity, one of the best known was that of Mozart, who composed minuets and played the clavichord at the tender age of four. Many other world-famous musicians manifested symptoms of genius at a very early period of their lives. Poets, too, have often developed their gifts of expression when mere children. Thomas Chatterton, who killed himself at the age of 17, wrote his most celebrated poems some years earlier. William Cullen Bryant published a volume of verse at 14, and had barely passed his majority when he wrote the immortal "Thanatopsis." Byron, Shelley and others of the choice company of immortals, were

FIRST THINGS

Navigation laws originated with the Rhodians in 916 B. C., and the Phoenicians later developed a navigation code which contained many features which, in modified form, are still in use. England's first code of maritime law is attributed to Richard I, who is said to have decreed them at the life of Oleron on this date in the year 1194. Further enactments were made by Richard II in 1381, and by parliament in 1651. The latter act, affirmed and extended during the reign of Charles II, was the foundation on which England's maritime supremacy was built. A new act "for the encouragement of British shipping and navigation," passed on June 26, 1849, gave further impetus to the development of the English merchant marine. In the United States the first navigation laws were passed in 1792, and they have been changed very little since that date. Many earnest but ineffectual efforts have been made to secure the modification of the navigation laws, in order to encourage American shipping.

HUMAN PROCESSION

Grand Pre, the little Nova Scotia town, which Longfellow made famous by his "Evangeline," was the birthplace of Premier Borden, and the date was just three-score years ago to-day, June 26, 1854. The future prime minister, a subject of Uncle Sam. At the latter had a narrow escape from being a subject of nineteenth-century degeny at a very early period of his life. Poets, too, have often developed their gifts of expression when mere children. Thomas Chatterton, who killed himself at the age of 17, wrote his most celebrated poems some years earlier. William Cullen Bryant published a volume of verse at 14, and had barely passed his majority when he wrote the immortal "Thanatopsis." Byron, Shelley and others of the choice company of immortals, were

### HUNDREDS ATTEND THE ROSE FESTIVAL

#### Charming Fete Draws Many to "Mount Adelaide," Presentation Made

Whatever the Rose Festival, held under the auspices of the Camosun Chapter I. O. D. E., may have suffered by the postponement from the previous day on account of the dripping aspect of things, last time seemed to be fully made up by the phenomenal success of the undertaking which opened yesterday in the big grounds at "Mount Adelaide," so kindly lent for the undertaking by Mrs. Henry Croft. It was all very beautiful and summer-like, and a steady stream of visitors passed in and out of the wide gates all afternoon and evening, forgetful, once there, of everything but the charm of the surroundings and the beauty of the long summer June day.

After the opening by Mrs. Bowser, who was presented by little Miss Brydon, on behalf of the Camosun chapter, with a small memento of the occasion, the programme of dances was given on the greensward. The first of these was the dainty fantasy known as "Summer's Awakening," in which about fifty little girls appeared as fairies in pink, with sandals of green, roses twined in their curls, and rose-twined staves in their small hands. They were preceded by four tiny heralds in green and white, each of whom was attended by a rose-maiden, while six butterflies fluttered to the steps of the throne and took up their station there. The little figures poured out of the wood to right and left of the throne where the Goddess of Summer gazed on the graceful revels of her subjects, her long golden hair rose-entwined and falling over soft folds of her rose-colored garment. The entire figure was exquisitely beautiful throughout, and was concluded by a nymph dance by Mrs. Michael Hallward, who was wonderfully graceful in draperies of steel blue over an underdress of gold which shimmered in the sunshine like golden rain.

This dance was repeated later in the afternoon, and was followed by an Irish jig very cleverly performed by two little Irish colleens and two Paddies in peasant smocks. These were all girls from St. George's school, who also supplied the girls who took part in the singing games, "Old Roger is Dead," etc., these children wearing white and scarlet.

Up in the hall at "Mount Adelaide," a vaudeville entertainment commenced immediately after the programme concluded in the grounds, and here an excellent stage had been arranged, with artificial footlights and exits and en-

trances which made a very good background for the entertaining performance arranged by the Misses Dunsmuir. Mrs. Conyers Bridgewater opened the programme with "The Unknown Golliwog," which was exceptionally clever, after which Mrs. R. H. Pooley gave one of her characteristically artistic songs, "You Made Me Love You," with rag-time chorus provided by Mrs. Cecil, Miss Davis, Mrs. Fordham, Miss Little and Miss Street. A tango danced by Miss Muriel Dunsmuir and James Dunsmuir, Jr. was accompanied to a song by Lawrence Earle entitled "Tango Dreams," which was followed by Miss Phyllis Davis' very animated and mischievous rendering of "Whoopsy Daisy," with topical hits. The prettiest of all the numbers was the Early Victorian dance by crinolined ladies, Miss Little, Mrs. Cecil and Miss Street, to accompany the song, "Mary, you're a little bit old-fashioned," sung very picturesquely by Miss Kathleen Dunsmuir. This was given a hearty encore, and with the rest of the performance was the great attraction in the evening programme.

The various booths about the grounds were most artistically arranged, and the tea and the ice-cream and strawberries and cream headquarters were crowded with people from four o'clock until nearly sunset, while a large staff of workers had all it could do to handle the rush of orders that poured in at the close of the various entertainments. The Misses Lugin looked after a but-terfly contest that was very profitable and amusing, and many people speculated in the various raffles held. One of the most sought-after of the articles was a picture painted by Mrs. Mary Ritter Hamilton.

This was in charge of Mrs. Nathaniel Shaw, who had a table of luscious fruits and fragrant nosegays, being assisted by Miss Leiser and Miss Isabel Elliott, with a number of the girls from St. George's school, who took part in the dances during the afternoon.

The afternoon tea tables were arranged beneath wide awnings, Mrs. Heming being convener of a large staff of ladies who waited on the thirty visitors. Ladies assisting here included Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Andrew Wright, Mrs. E. A. Harris, Mrs. Love, Miss De-veda Raymond, Miss Dolly Smith, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. T. J. Jones, Mrs. Courtney, Mrs. Sylvester, Mrs. Percival G. Noot, Mrs. Hartman, Miss Choate, Miss Bailey, Mrs. Assell, and others, all of whom wore pretty caps and aprons in mauve and pink, while the tables were decorated with pink and mauve flowers.

On the other side of the pansy-beds was the booth of ice cream under the Japanese umbrellas, Mrs. R. S. Day having charge of this, and among those helping being Mrs. W. Holmes, Misses C. Helmecken, Winona Troup, Marjorie Rome, Mrs. Cornwall, and others. All wore pretty mob caps and dainty muslin aprons. Miss Helmecken also took charge of a very popular stall where ice cream cones were sold, and the early evening found her with all her supplies exhausted.

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#### IN REPLY TO "T. S."

To the Editor: I can't help writing in answer to your letter printed in the Times, 25th. The white workers started in pretty good on the Hindu proposition in Vancouver, but I want to tell you that after fifteen years' experience as a worker in British Columbia that the most undesirable element in B. C. to-day is the employers of Chinese labor, whether domestic or otherwise. What earthly good are they in a country where the bulk of the wages they pay out are sent over to China? I, too, believe in direct action, and the sooner the white workers start in at the proper quarter the sooner we will have a full dinner pail instead of an empty one. Another point white workers want to do is to make sure and get this Conservative clique out and vote for some men that have brains. The whole bunch of the Conservative party could not run a peanut stall.

VICTOR STEELE.  
1211 Langley street, Victoria.

#### GAS IN OAK BAY.

To the Editor:—Mr. Morrison's letter in the morning paper re a gas service at Oak Bay is deserving of serious attention at the hands of the municipal authorities. I suppose one reason why the matter has been neglected so long is that we have not all registered a kick at once. There can be no doubt that nine-tenths of the residents of Oak Bay are desirous of getting gas, but as there is no organized effort to that end the matter is allowed to drift, and it is only intermittently that we hear anything about it. When those who have houses to rent, however, and those who have lots to sell, find that they are losing customers because of the absence of a gas service they will probably wake up and do something. I personally know of two people who rented houses in the city just because they could not get gas in Oak Bay, though they preferred living in the district. I hope the municipal council will take this matter up at the earliest date.

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#### SCORED HUGE SUCCESS.

Herbert Bell and company, the well-known German comedians, scored a huge success at the Variety theatre last evening, keeping the audience in a continuous state of laughter. Herbert Bell is known as "the king of laugh makers," and judging from last evening's performance he certainly deserves the title. They will appear at the above theatre again to-day and to-morrow.

On his way home the man discovered in ambush a sad-faced little girl with a flatul of mud. She was standing in a sheltered corner of a grocery store, and was from time to time peering down the street. "Who are you waiting for, little girl?" asked the man. "Henrietta." "What's Henrietta done?" asked the man, with a significant glance at the mud in the child's hand. "Nothin'. Don't you know she's Queen of the May?"

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Most of us think we don't like to have our children too militant, but when Jack puts it over Billy or Tom next door, Father usually swells up with pride, and Mother—while pretending to feel very badly—gets Jack over in a corner and kisses him!

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#### TO MAKE INQUIRY

Question of Plastering at Beacon Hill School Brought Up; Children and Swimming.

Following a report from Chairman Jay to the city school board yesterday on the metal lath used in the plastering work of the Beacon Hill school, the board decided to inquire into the matter. It was stated that a cheaper class of material than the galvanized metal lath specified had been used in the work. The board will require that a reduction be made in the cost on account of the substitution of the less expensive quality.

While the board selected George Glover as clerk of works for the new Margaret Jenkins school, the contract was not signed up with Luney Brothers as had been expected. Some modifications are to be made in the plan of a reinforced concrete ceiling is to be put in the basement. The extra cost will be nearly \$2,500.

Trustee Andrews, to whom was referred correspondence on the question of teaching school children to swim, reported that the B. C. Electric railway would give the use of the pavilion at the George park from 10 to 12 (noon) free for children. The instructor would also be on hand in the afternoon in case of children arriving then. A further report on the matter will be submitted.

No final settlement on the account of the Canadian Buffalo Forge company for the installation of the heating plant at the George Jay school was reached, as no test of the plant has yet been made.

The city council is to be asked to have warning signs for motorists erected in the vicinity of the schools.

Applications will be called for three male teachers for the new High school for the subjects of English, Latin and mathematics, applications to be in the hands of the secretary of the board by July 8.

"What name are you calling?" asked the telephone girl over the wire. "McCohan," the customer answered. "I beg pardon?" asked the girl. The man repeated it. The wire was silent for a moment, then the girl said: "Wait a moment, please. I think the wires are crossed."

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On sale to-morrow, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. only.

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Annual Meeting of Subscribers to Jubilee Hospital Adjourned; Prepares List

### DIRECTORS REPLY TO CRITICISMS OF POLICY

Medical Superintendent Advises Infirmary for Certain Medical Cases

On account of the discussions which have arisen about the construction of the new hospital and the resignation of the matron, the proceedings at the annual meeting of subscribers and donors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital yesterday afternoon proved more attractive to those interested than is customary, and there was a considerable attendance in the city council chamber as contrasted with the few members present at former meetings.

The election of representatives on the board was laid over for two weeks to an adjourned meeting, by which time a voter's list of those entitled to record an opinion in the election is to be prepared along the lines of a written opinion from the board's solicitors, Barnard, Robertson, Helsterman and Tait, which was read to the meeting.

Among those present were Chairman J. W. Ealden, R. S. Day, treasurer; J. A. Mara, Alexander Wilson, Simon Leiser, Henry Callow, F. W. Vincent, Leonard Tait, T. Kirkpatrick, one of the directors, D. E. Campbell, former chairman; and a number of ladies from the Women's Auxiliary.

Selection of Directors.  
Correspondence on the right of voters to elect the four directors, nominated at the annual meeting, was first read to the gathering.  
The following information had been submitted to H. B. Robertson, for a legal opinion on the situation:  
"Acting for the board of directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital, the Women's Auxiliary submitted subscriptions for the new building and took promissory notes payable to the Women's Auxiliary Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital Building fund." A large number of these notes have been paid, and a sum of nearly \$23,000 has been paid over to the honorary treasurer of the hospital by the Women's

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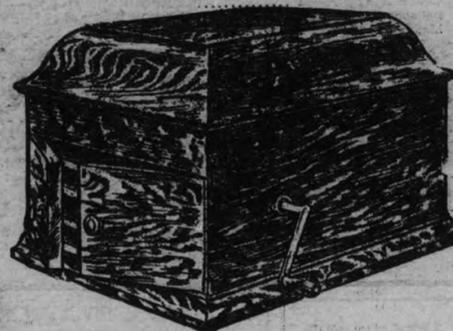
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Auxiliary. The remainder of the sum collected is on deposit in the Bank of Montreal in a savings bank account opened by the Women's Auxiliary.  
"Can all donors to this fund, who have actually paid \$50 or upwards, vote at the annual meeting of the board of directors, whether the money has been paid over to the honorary treasurer or not?  
"If not, can they vote if the money

is paid over to the honorary treasurer at any time before the annual meeting?

"The Women's Auxiliary have sent in a list of names to the extent of the sum handed over by them. Others, who have paid, are not included on that list. Can those whose names are sent in vote, and if so, could it be held that those whose names were not sent in were discriminated against?  
"We would also like to be advised if benefit, fraternal or other societies can vote when the money contributed has been raised by concerts or similar means, and not taken directly from the funds of the lodge or society."

Mr. Robertson had replied to Mr. Day as follows:  
"Dear Sir,—Re Royal Provincial Jubilee hospital. I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 20, and I am of opinion:  
(1) All donors to the fund mentioned in your letter who have actually paid \$50 or upwards in cash at any time prior to the annual meeting may vote, whether such money has been actually paid over to the honorary treasurer or not.  
(2) All subscribers of \$50 or over whose moneys have been sent in to the Women's Auxiliary are entitled to vote.  
(3) Others who have each paid in cash to the extent of \$50 and upwards to the Women's Auxiliary, and whose money has not yet been turned over to the honorary treasurer, or whose money is not included in any list sent into the hospital board, are entitled to vote.  
(4) Any fraternal organization may vote if it has paid in cash \$50 at least when the money has been raised under the circumstances mentioned in your letter, as it seems to me quite immaterial how the money was raised as long as it was raised by a society and paid in as a contribution by that society."

"In view of the fact that apparently a number of persons whose names should be on the list have not been given notice of the meeting, it would be wise to adjourn for a time so that proper notice can be given to everybody."

Work of Hospital.  
The report read by the secretary, G. T. Carver, dealt first at some length with the history of the new building. Of the amended plans, which embody Miss MacCallmont's design, the report says: "It is the opinion of the directors that the building as now designed is a great advance on the original plans, giving more accommodation at a smaller proportional cost per bed, providing additional features that will enhance the comfort and well-being of the patients and affording greater control in management with a reduction in running expenses."

"Acknowledgement is made to the city council for generous assistance.  
"Reference is made to the appointment of Miss Jessie P. Mackenzie, superintendent of nurses, Mt. Zion hospital, San Francisco, as matron.  
"The nursing staff has been strengthened by the addition of two staff nurses, one in charge of the medical, surgical and tuberculous wards, and the other in charge of the women's and children's wards. These additions mean not only better training and supervision of our pupil nurses, but also more efficient nursing of the patients."

"A deputation from the Victoria Medical Association waited upon us and asked us to request the government to change the act of incorporation so that three medical men might become members of the board. A suitable resolution was prepared and forwarded, and the necessary act was passed by the legislature. The board is, therefore, strengthened by the addition of three representatives, Drs. Leeder, Rogers and Watson, appointed by the Medical Council of British Columbia.  
"During 24 years of useful work the

hospital has gradually increased its number of beds to 92, the original number being 50 beds all told. The additions have been 29 public ward beds in the children's, convalescent and tuberculous wards, Strathcona wing 11 beds and two more private beds.  
"The number of patients admitted during the first hospital year was 331; for last year 1,405, and it may be interesting to note that on a list of figures being compiled from the old re-

ports the number of patients admitted actually doubles itself every ten years. During the last four years these figures have increased at the same rate, and it may be expected that ten years from the present time double the number of patients treated now will have to be provided for. The total number of patients admitted since incorporation is 19,870, not including out-patients.  
"During the past year we have admitted 1,405 in-patients, which number is not an increase over last year's admissions, but is higher than any other

preceding year, the next highest being 1,301. Of these patients 1,064 are resident in Victoria, leaving 341 from outside the city and surrounding municipalities.  
"The total number of days' stay is 31,088, being less than the number of days' stay of last year. Of this number the city indigents made 4,701, and free patients were responsible for 7,770. The greatest decrease is in the number of days made by patients occupying private rooms, the number being less by 1,354 days. There were 848 days in

the semi-private wards less than the previous year, this all resulting in a corresponding decrease in revenue to the hospital.

"The cost per diem per capital for the last year is \$2.10, an increase of 22 cents over the preceding year. This can be accounted for by the increased number of nurses employed on the staff, and increased cost of provisions and repairs."

Acknowledgments to the donors, the staff and the press follow.  
(Concluded on page 14.)

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## ASKS QUESTIONS OF THE HOSPITAL BOARD

(Continued from page 13.)

### List of Questions.

The following questions were submitted to the directors by C. R. Davidson, a subscriber, from the body of the hall:

- "Why were the two principal contractors for the erection of the new Jubilee hospital awarded to American firms?"
- "Why were the first intentions of the board to insert a clause in the specifications to the effect that none but contractors of two years' residence in the province should be eligible to tender on the proposed erection of the hospital not carried into effect, and at whose suggestion?"
- "What extra amount of money will it cost to alter the plans, according to the recommendations of the lady expert imported from San Francisco?"
- "What amount was paid by the board for the services of said lady expert from the U. S. A.?"
- "Do you consider Dr. Hasell efficient in his position of medical superintendent?"
- "Do you consider Mr. Rixford efficient in his position as architect?"

The chairman, J. W. Bolden, who is a representative of the government on the board, submitted that the answers should be made by representatives of the subscribers.

Mr. Mara did not agree with the speaker, holding that the answer should come from the chair.

Mr. Bolden said he held himself answerable to the government. Therefore he believed the replies should come from the directors who were appointed by the subscribers, and who were answerable alone to them.

Mr. Callow thought the questions were deserving of the greatest attention. They should be received with courtesy.

Mr. Mara then took up the questions seriatim. Answering question number one, he denied the alleged foreign character of the controlling interests in the B. C. Construction and Engineering company. Two of its members had been resident in the city for a long time, while the other principal gentleman was a Canadian born, who had been engaged in the contracting business in Seattle before settling here. He had, however, never abandoned his British citizenship. Mr. Mara, in stating what work had been done by the company, associated it with the Puget Sound company, which built the Union Club here. He alluded to the resolutions about restricting the contract to British Columbia firms of a definite length of residence, and stated why the board had modified its resolution to make the competition open to a larger number of firms. The contracts had been awarded to the lowest firms.

Of question five he said: "It is a most important one. I shall decline to answer it."

With regard to question No. 6 he was not prepared to express an opinion on a professional man's capacity. The competition had been judged by a Winnipeg expert, on rules drawn up by the Victoria chapter of the Architects' society. None of the directors had known anything about the record of the candidates. Each had had an equal chance in the competition for the premiums. When Mr. Rixford was building the Union club he had had a good deal to do with him and to that experience he bore testimony.

Mr. Callow told the subscribers that Mr. Blakemore had come to the board after the resolution limiting the com-

petition to contractors who had lived two years by British Columbia had been passed by the board, and had said that objection was taken by Hon. Dr. Young and Hon. Thomas Taylor. Hence the subsequent resolution was moved, reducing the residence limit to six months, in accordance with the ministers' wishes.

Mr. Leiser said that he had, therefore, moved to strike out the restriction altogether.

Mr. Davidson then described Mr. Mara's reply as a lame and weak answer. So far as the B. C. Construction Co. was concerned they "all know it was an American firm pure and simple." He expressed himself as generally dissatisfied with the answers given.

To Christian Sivertz, who asked a question, Mr. Day stated that the board saved \$250 by engaging Miss McCarron, of San Francisco, to pass on the plans, rather than an expensive expert from the Toronto General hospital. The board had failed to secure men at Montreal and Winnipeg for the purpose.

The cost of the alteration of the premium plans in order to conform with her suggestions would be \$2,950 to \$3,000, but it was not to exceed the latter amount.

Mr. Leiser said that so strong had been the opposition to amending the resolution in favor of six months' qualification that he had moved to strike the whole matter out. Andrew Wright had resigned on account of an adverse attitude on the subject of limiting work to British contractors, but he had succeeded in inducing him to reconsider his decision.

Alexander Wilson, who has been with the board since its inception, advocated getting the work done in the cheapest market, for the board was spending the public money. He opposed limitation of the contract to any persons. The hospital project was a big one which deserved whole-hearted support. So far as voting at the meeting was concerned, where would the board be if it admitted the vote of the churches and benevolent societies?

The report of the board as read by the secretary, was then adopted.

## Treasurer's Statement.

Mr. Day read the treasurer's statement, which showed that of \$22,975 collected by the ladies' committee for the building fund, there remained, after meeting some necessary expenses, about \$12,150. The report was adopted.

Dr. Hasell's report as medical superintendent was read. During the past year the hospital had treated 1,489 in-patients and 64 out-patients, as compared with 1,717 in-patients and 99 out-patients during the preceding year. The number of operations was 733, as compared with 809 the preceding year. The work of the X-ray department had much increased. There were during the past year 308 radiographs taken and 287 treatments given, a total of 595 as against 285 radiographs and 189 treatments the preceding year, an increase of 121. Dr. Hasell hoped the new hospital will contain a modern X-ray apparatus.

"The public wards of the hospital have continued to be crowded to their utmost capacity and have fulfilled their intention of providing for the sick and needy. We still maintain a large infirmary ward and are at the present moment faced with the problem of how to dispose of its present inmates in view of the fact that the block in which that ward is situated must by the reason of the new building be diverted to other uses. It would seem again a fitting time to urge the establishment of an infirmary where those patients who are not legitimate hospital cases may be received and maintained in comfort under proper supervision."

Dr. Hasell alluded to the pathological department, the provision of the tuberculosis patients' ward, the staff changes and the fact that since the departure of the matron he has conducted his training school, pending the arrival of the new matron. He thanked the clergy, particularly the Rev. P. H. Fatt, and expressed appreciation of the gratuitous

services rendered by the medical men of the city to patients in the public wards.

The New Matron.  
In moving the adoption of the report, Christian Sivertz said he thought it was an answer to the observations which had been made about the medical superintendent.

In seconding, Mr. Day explained that the matron, Miss Mackenzie, would take up her work in the coming month, although she came from Mount Zion, the great modern Jewish hospital in San Francisco, was Canadian born and had the highest recommendations. In order to relieve Dr. Hasell of business details, the board had moved much of his work to the resident secretary, but the speaker could vouch for Dr. Hasell as a medical superintendent.

Mr. Tait praised the work of the building and house committees. The report having been adopted, the chairman observed that while everything was increasing in cost, the board had not raised the price of hospital beds. The time was coming when there would have to be greater support from the municipality. The board acknowledged the assistance the city had given.

Then came a report from the pathologist, Dr. W. E. Home:  
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After the adoption of the report, it was resolved to adjourn till July 9 at 3 p. m., an amendment to hold an evening session being defeated on a show of hands.

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LOST—About June 23, lady's gold and blue enamel pin, set with four sapphires. Finder apply Express Hotel Office.

TO RENT—Furnished, five roomed bungalow, good basement, bath and all modern conveniences, \$45 a month. Apply Flint & Co., Broughton street, 3727

ED A MONTH, 7-room house in Fairfield, easy walking distance from city; will lease to good tenant. Wm. Monteith & Co., Ltd., Gordon Bldg., Phone 3783, 3821.

### LOCAL NEWS

Furniture is going cheap at the great furniture sale of the Standard Furniture Co., Pandora Ave.

Report on Harbor.—The harbor and navigation committee of the board of trade, of which F. A. Pauline is chairman, is busy preparing a report on the harbor and on the trade of the port for presentation to the imperial trade commissioners when they visit this city later on.

Free Theatre Tickets.—Every 24th packet of Wiper's 5-cent Gold Medal Everton Treacle Toffee contains a free theatre ticket. All Victoria is talking of the quality of Wiper's candies. Ask your grocer for them.

Make Test.—This afternoon the headquarter fire hall companies under Chief Davis tested a five-gallon fireproof receptacle containing gasoline. The purpose is to obtain a can for garages which will be proof against an accidental outburst of flames.

First Presbyterian Church.—The building permit for the First Presbyterian church was issued yesterday afternoon. The church will be built from the design of J. C. M. Keith, will cost \$55,000, and will be located at the corner of Quadra street and Fisgard street. Stevens brothers are the contractors.

Stands Till After Vacation.—When the Matyala-Tervo case came up for argument before Chief Justice Hunter to-day, all the evidence having been completed ten days ago, his lordship asked for a transcript of the evidence to be prepared and the case was adjourned until after vacation.

Reply Next Week.—William Day, chairman of the special committee of the Trades and Labor Council, which has an interview with Sir Richard McBride regarding the labor situation recently, was informed this morning by the premier that a statement on the subject would be possible early next week.

Counsel Did Not Appear.—W. H. Bullock-Webster's motion for further

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DROP-HEAD, ball-bearing, White sewing machine for sale, all attachments, in perfect order, price reasonable. 1942 Bay street, off Fernwood road.

TO RENT—Good camping ground, George district. Apply 1729 Cook street.

MONEY TO LOAN—5 per cent, money, long term. Call and make application to-day. 302 Pemberton Bldg.

TO RENT—5 roomed cottage, newly painted, nice garden, close in, rent \$25. Phone 4457.

SEALERS, jam jars, pickle jars, 25c. doz. up; nails, 6 lbs. for 25c.; 2 gent's cycles, \$17.50, \$22.50. H. W. Davies & Sons, auctioneers, 511, 555 Yates, 125 H.

FOR SALE—Tent \$14.95, fly \$14, frame-work, floor and walls for same, \$18. Box 1270, Times.

DANCE—Mrs. Nott will hold a dance in the Connaught Hall, Monday, 29th, 8 p. m.

WANTED—Lady, for alteration room, one accustomed to coat work preferred. Apply Gordon Drysdale, Ltd., 755 Yates street.

GEORGE COOK, auctioneer. Under instructions, I will sell at 1062 Pandora avenue, Saturday, 23rd p. m., millinery, dress, suitcases, cloaks, rugs, men's, ladies' and children's underwear; also dresses, flowers and plumes, and bags. Corner Cook and Pandora. Geo. J. Cook, auctioneer.

FOR SALE—Field spaniel puppies. 628 Garbally road.

PANDORA AVE.—Nice flat, 4 rooms, hall and pantry, gas, etc., \$15 per month. Phone 4701L.

PANDORA—Close in, nice, clean, furnished, 2-room apartment, gas, etc., \$5 per week. Phone 4701L.

TO LET—Roseberry Ave., 6 rooms, furnished, \$40 per month; Bushby street, 7 rooms, fully modern, \$35 per month; Oak Bay Ave., corner Ampleon, store, \$10 per month; Mary street, Victoria West, 5 rooms, \$18 per month; Simcoe street, 5 rooms, \$25 per month; Fisgard street, 8 rooms, \$22 per month. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471.

FOR RENT—Seven-room house in high part of Fairfield, close to Linden Ave. will lease at \$30 per month. Apply 1613 Monterey Ave., or Phone 3501R.

FOR RENT—Furnished, neat little 3 roomed cottage, Cloverdale Ave., city water, 5 minutes Douglas terminus, \$15 monthly, unfurnished, \$12. Pioneer Realty, 1224 Douglas street.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lavender wish to thank their many friends for their kind words of sympathy and the beautiful flowers sent during their recent sad bereavement.

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Mr. H. F. Selliek and family desire to return their sincere thanks to their many friends for beautiful floral tributes and kind sympathy in their late sad bereavement.

particulars of the claim in the case of Allan v. the Bank of Vancouver was today by Chief Justice Hunter to-day until Monday on the non-appearance of H. D. Twigg, counsel for the plaintiffs. W. H. Bullock-Webster was acting as agent for the bank's solicitors.

Sues for Commission.—Chief Justice Hunter is hearing in supreme court to-day the trial of an action in which Thomas D. Bell claims \$8,665 commission against Henry H. Jones for effecting the sale of four sections of land in the Lake district, Vancouver Island, for \$58,665. Bell claims an agreement by which he was given the agency on the understanding that the vendor should receive at least \$50,000. It is the difference which he claims. S. F. Hankey is acting as counsel for Bell and Alexs Martin for Jones.

### BACK IN SEPTEMBER

Message is Received From Member of Karluk Crew, Who Writes From Wrangell Island.

The first direct word to reach Victoria from any member of the Canadian Arctic expedition, which suffered the loss of the whaler Karluk off Herald Island, came to the city this morning in the form of a letter to Captain E. J. Gollop.

The letter, which was written by Ernest Chafe, runs as follows: "Wrangell Island, March 16, 1914. Dear Captain,—Our good old ship got broken up on January 10 and sank on January 11. We camped on the ice until February 18, when we left for her, arriving on March 12. We have plenty of food and wood and are quite happy.

Captain Bartlett leaves to-morrow for Siberia. He will travel along the coast to St. Lawrence Bay and will cross the straits to Alaska. He will bring a ship up for us next summer. We should arrive in Victoria early in September.

"Send a letter to Nome and tell me all the news. I cannot write any more as this is the only book we have between the bunch and all are waiting on one another."

### SALE WAS PROFITABLE.

St. Luke's Cedar Hill, Held Successful Event Yesterday; Many Attended.

St. Luke's Women's Auxiliary, Cedar Hill, held a sale of work and garden party yesterday afternoon and evening in the grounds of the rectory adjoining the church, the Rural Dean, the Rev. Baugh Allen, performing the formal opening ceremony and referring in congratulatory manner to the splendid arrangements. The grounds were very pretty with the wide awnings kindly lent and arranged by J. W. Tomlin, of Cloverdale, and the able president, Miss Tomlin. There was a large attendance, and the various articles for sale were soon disposed of. Fancy work and plain sewing was in charge of the Misses J. W. Tomlin, Beale, Beedham and Clarke; the girls' booth was managed by the Misses M. Holmes, Duke and Matthews; and the candy stall by Mrs. Offerhaus and the Misses Isabel Clarke and Offerhaus. Miss C. Tomlin had a unique collection of all manner of desirable things, and did a rushing business. Miss Jean Tomlin, in a tent, told fortunes, and a bran pie, operated by the Misses May and Bradshaw, was most attractive to the young people, as was the Aunt Sally in charge of Miss Annie Holmes. Assisting at the tea tables were Mrs. Charles Jones and Miss Mary Holmes, and another department of refreshments, the strawberries and ices, proved very profitable under the direction of Miss Goodvee and Miss Dorothy Matthews. Clock-golf was one of the additional afternoon diversions. Among those present was Rev. J. W. Flinton, of St. Mark's, former rector of St. Luke's.

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DIES GIVING JUDGMENT. Fleisherton, Ont., June 26.—At a trial held this morning R. McGill, J. P., died while delivering judgment on a case he had tried. He was township auditor for some years.

## CONFIRM THE LEVIES FOR STREET WORKS

### Civic Revision Court Approves By-law Assessments Covering Large Sum

The question of the position in which municipalities are placed by having by-laws under two local improvement acts was before the civic court of revision this morning. By-laws which were passed under the old act are now coming up to have the assessment confirmed since the new act has been passed. The two measures conflict in some cases and owners are not slow to take advantage of the opening for argument which the law allows by these variations.

There was a great deal of business before the court this morning, the most important being that confirmed being that which covers the expropriation on Hillside avenue, over \$100,000. The total amount represented in the various by-laws is almost \$282,000.

When the case of Gorge road was called, Alexander McIvrie objected on behalf of himself and several owners to the terms of the assessment. Mr. McIvrie's objections were threefold, the cost of the work, the claim that the city had violated its undertaking with regard to the share to be paid by it, and the extra allowance of ten per cent on the surfacing awarded this year by the Canadian Mineral Rubbing company. In support of the first claim he asked why the city had made a 40-foot roadway, unless it was to be a trunk thoroughfare. He had been informed that when the city constructed the base, gravel was hauled from adding to the expense.

The court, which was composed of Mayor Stewart and Aldermen Porter, McCandless and Sargent, expressed surprise, but denied that the city had undertaken to pay half the cost as a trunk thoroughfare.

In the absence of City Engineer Rast the assistants absolutely deny that the material was hauled from the Fowl Bay district, and is prepared to give evidence on that point. After hearing evidence the court laid over further consideration of the assessment levy on Gorge road till the afternoon.

The court granted an application of F. A. McDiarmid, on behalf of the Metropolitan Methodist church for a revision of the assessment, as the lots on which the church stands have less than the frontage indicated on the plans. A resurvey has been made since the previous assessment.

Mr. McDiarmid then asked for a reduction on the ground that when sewer connections with one street existed, a corner property such as that of the church did not need connections with both sewers. It had already contributed to the surface drain.

City Solicitor Robert thought such a principle might be equitable. Provision existed under the new act for redress under these circumstances. Considerable argument ensued as to what would happen as between work done under general revenue, and that done under local improvement. Mr. McDiarmid believed the principles were distinct.

At the passing of the Douglas street assessment, which immediately followed in the list, Mr. Robertson suggested that the court should lay down a principle on the matter. He, therefore, proposed the following resolution: "That in the case of any corner lots where a side street has been paved under the local improvement plan there be a reduction of one-fifth frontage upon the street, for which the assessment is being made, and that the balance be chargeable upon all lots liable to be specially assessed."

In order to cover the Pandora avenue case affecting the Metropolitan church property, a resolution identical with that mentioned above was submitted, except that in the place of the word "paved," the words "surfaced" were substituted. This was passed.

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## SHIELDS PRESENTED TO TRAINING SCHOOLS

### The Lieutenant-Governor Attends Interesting Exercises at Two City Schools

The closing exercises at both Fernwood and North Ward schools this morning were characterized by a very special ceremony, as the pupils of these places won the junior and senior shields presented for musical competition by his honor the Lieutenant-governor. On this account an unusually large number of the parents and friends of the children were present at the exercises, and the children themselves took the keenest interest in the proceedings and such errors as they made were due rather to over-anxiety than to carelessness.

His honor was accompanied by Mr. Musket, and Mr. Pollard, supervisor of music in the schools, was actively engaged in conducting the little people through their songs at both places. At Fernwood school, where the junior shield was presented, the three songs sung at the recent contest, and for their excellence in the rendering of which the scholars were awarded the prize, were "Give Me a Draught of the Crystal Spring," "The Silvery Sea," and "The Whistling Farmer Boy," all of which were given with commendable precision and attention by the tiny vocalists.

In presenting the shield his honor congratulated the children on the excellence of their work, and expressed the hope that they would have their name engraved on the shield again. He also congratulated the teacher, and in conclusion wished them a very happy holiday. Miss Leggett, the principal, expressed gratitude on her own and the children's behalf for the honor done them by the presence of the lieutenant-governor, and thanked him for his kind wishes.

The big auditorium at North Ward school was crowded to capacity when the exercises commenced there at 10:30, among those on the platform with the lieutenant-governor being Trustee Mrs. Jenkins, Trustee Mrs. Justin Gilbert, Mrs. George Jay, Alderman McNeill, Mr. Musket, and Trustee J. E. Andrews.

The proceedings opened with the singing of God Save the King, and a varied and interesting programme was given which took nearly two hours to perform. The children joined heartily in the singing of the various contests. Mr. Pollard, who conducted, and great applause greeted the conclusion of "Hail to the Chief," "Down Where the Blue Bells Grow," and "Land of Hope and Glory," which were the compositions sung at the competition. In addition to these there was a cantata entitled "There's Not a Cent to Pay," which was done in costume by a number of children. Chief among the characters impersonated was Little Red Riding Hood, a Herald, Dick Whittington, with cat and stuffed handkerchief; Cherry Blossom, Sergeant 92X, an Italian girl, Sailor Boy, Bush Rose, with basket of flowers; Nancy Lee, and a street vendor.

Prizes were awarded to Jean Burdill, Gladys Thorpe, George Macdonald and Norman Price, all of whom had been successful in the recent school sports. Mrs. Jenkins, in presenting the prizes, complimented the boys and girls who had been so successful, and suggested that if the pupils of North Ward school would like to do something for the Children's Aid they might repeat the very delightful programme she had just heard. She also reminded them of the value of education, and conveyed the regrets of the chairman of the school board at his inability to be present.

The lieutenant-governor was introduced by Principal J. M. Campbell, who explained that it was only ill-health which had kept Mrs. Paterson from accompanying his honor on this interesting occasion. Mr. Campbell added that it was almost entirely due to the encouragement given to the children by the lieutenant-governor, and the very able work of their instructor, Mr. Pollard, that the singing in the schools had improved as much as it had.

The lieutenant-governor then presented the shield, remarking as he did so that the North Ward school had repeated itself by being the first school to win the shield, and also the first school to have its name engraved thereon for the second time. He hoped it would not be the last. Personally he thought they had very much improved since the first time he heard them sing, and he would thank them for a very delightful morning's entertainment. Wishing them a delightful holiday, he concluded his greeting to the girls and boys, who were afterwards addressed by Mrs. Justin Gilbert, Trustee Andrews, Alderman McNeill and Herbert Kent, who was one of the judges of the singing contest.

Mr. Kent told the children that the judges had had some difficulty in deciding between North Ward and St. James Douglas schools, the competition was so close, but a second trial had shown the superiority of the former.

The proceedings concluded with the school yell, by special request, which was given with great enthusiasm, after which the National Anthem was given again.

Visitors took the opportunity to view the exhibit of manual training work done by boys of the school under instruction of D. S. Cameron, some very fine examples being shown which included writing desks, Morris chairs, cabinets, etc.

All the other schools closed this morning, large numbers of the parents being present, and several of the trustees attending the morning going from school to school to witness the exercises. School will reopen the last Monday in August.

A WINEGLASSFUL—BEST BEFORE BREAKFAST

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### TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
At Boston—	First game	R. H. E.
New York	.....	8 12 2
Batteries—Mathewson and Meyers;		
Tyler, Crutcher and Whaling.		
At Pittsburgh—	R. H. E.	
St. Louis	.....	2 5 1
Pittsburg	.....	3 11 1
Batteries—Sallee and Snyder;		
Cooper, McQuillan and Gibson.		
At Cincinnati—	R. H. E.	
Chicago	.....	6 7 2
Cincinnati	.....	2 7 2
Batteries—Vaughn and Hargrave;		
Douglas, Lear and Clark, Gonzalez.		
At Brooklyn—	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	.....	4 13 5
Brooklyn	.....	7 11 3
Batteries—Jacobs, Mattison, Baumgardner, Timpson, Burns; Pfeiffer and Fischer, McCarthy.		
AMERICAN LEAGUE		
At Chicago—	R. H. E.	
Detroit	.....	1 3 0
Chicago	.....	2 7 2
Batteries—Dubuc and Stange;		
Faber and Mayer.		
At New York—	R. H. E.	
Boston	.....	2 6 1
New York	.....	1 5 0
Batteries—Coulme, Leonard and Cady, Carrigan; Fisher and Nune-maker.		

### REACH NO SOLUTION

Details of Saanich-Water Scheme Not Settled; Appeals for Court of Revision.

No satisfactory arrangement to harmonize the conflicting claims of the suburban and rural sections of Saanich municipality in connection with the water question was reached by the members of the council at the works committee meeting last evening.

The reeve and the representatives of the suburban wards stand for an adoption of the partial scheme under the local improvement plan, suggesting that powers be added when the legislature meets again. Some of the other councillors want an assurance that the constituencies will be included, and they wish to know the terms under which the owners are to be assessed for mains passing along the trunk thoroughfares. It is hoped that before the next meeting on Tuesday a reply will have been received from the attorney-general, who has the subject in hand with the inspector of municipalities.

### SUES CITY FOR \$20,000

James Griffiths Alleges Boards Paid Over Electric Light Standard Base Were Negligently Arranged.

James Henry Griffiths, of 644 Cormorant street, is claiming \$20,000 damages in his action against the city of Victoria for injuries received in a fall on the sidewalk on June 19, 1913. The accident complained of occurred on the north side of Cormorant street just opposite the police station, where the city had just laid the base of an electric light standard in the concrete sidewalk.

The statement of claim filed by Griffiths to-day alleges that the city negligently laid several iron bolts projecting upright from the base and laid on top of the bolts some boards so as to leave a space between the boards and the sidewalk. The plaintiff caught his foot under the boards and fell to the pavement, fracturing his right arm in such a manner as to incapacitate him from work ever since and to cripple him for life. Griffiths is a carpenter and claims that he can never practise his trade again.

Frank Higgins is acting for Griffiths.

### CANNOT UNDERTAKE IT

Fire Wardens Decline to Recommend That City Fire Department Protect Esquimalt.

A deputation consisting of Reeve Saunders and Councillors McAdam and Mesher, of Esquimalt, met the city fire wardens' committee (Aldermen Fullerton and Todd), and Chief Davis, this morning, with regard to the fire protection for the township of Esquimalt. The situation as outlined this week in the Times was explained to the civic representatives, but owing to the objection against undertaking the protection of Esquimalt, the fire wardens declined to recommend any arrangement to the city council.

It was stated that the municipality will now establish hose companies in charge of a volunteer fire department at various points in the district. This action is prompted by the unprotected state of Esquimalt and the damage done by recent fires.

At the meeting of the streets committee of the city council this afternoon further consideration was given to the location of the municipal paving plant, which the engineer recom-

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Ashcroft Potatoes, sack	.....	2.25
Libby's Pineapple	.....	.17
Hawaiian Pineapple	.....	.15
Okanagan Peaches	.....	.20
Lombard	.....	.10
Plums	.....	.30
Large Tin Pineapple	.....	.15
Holbrook's Custard Powder	.....	.15
Ivory Soap, per cake	.....	.08
Pumice Soap, per cake	.....	.10
Skitoos Hand Cleaner	.....	.10
2 in 1 Blacking	.....	.10
Black Knight Stove Polish	.....	.12
Libby's and Clark's	.....	.13
Ham, Swift's Empire, per lb.	.....	.35
Bacon, Swift's Empire, per lb.	.....	.30
Marmalade, 5-lb. tins		

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"IN THE HEART OF THE OLYMPICS."

MEETINGS

King's Daughters.—The monthly business meeting of the King's Daughters will be held on Monday next at 10.30 a. m. in the rest rooms, Courtney street.

Sunday School Picnic.—On July 1 St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sunday school is to hold an excursion, the S. S. Princess Mary leaving Victoria at 9 a. m. for Mayne Island.

Will Visit Gonzales Hill.—The members and friends of Victoria lodge, No. 84, I. O. G. T., will meet this evening at the corner of Cook and Fort street at 7 for a ramble to Gonzales hill.

Country Fete.—A country fete is to be given on Saturday afternoon at Lovelands (on the E. C. Interurban line) in aid of the Girls' Realm Guild.

old-fashioned colored minstrel troupe, cocoanut shies and Aunt Sally.

To Form Household League.—A public meeting will be held at 3 p. m. on Monday, June 29, in the tea room of the Y. W. C. A. on Douglas street.

Special Sermon.—On Sunday evening Rev. J. B. Warnicker, pastor of the First Baptist church, which holds its services in the Dominion theatre, will preach a special sermon for young people.

Congregational Picnic.—Arrangements are being completed for the Sunday school and church picnic of the Congregational church to take place on July 1, near Royal Oak.

A general election would settle nothing, even if it returned the government with a large majority, for Sir Edward Carson has already declared that no general election will make any difference to the people of Ulster.—Lord Dunraven.



BETTER FEELING WAS REMARKED IN STREET

London Bought Stocks and List Withstood Lehigh Weakness

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) New York, June 26.—There was heavy pressure in Lehigh Valley which broke the issue four better.

News was not important, but there was little to lend any real encouragement to feeling, the commercial uncertainty as previously reported dominating the outlook almost exclusively and aggravating an already unsettled state of affairs throughout the financial and commercial community.

Table of stock prices including Alaska Gold, Amal. Copper, Amal. Smelting, etc.

OBSESSION OF BEAR FEELING IN WHEAT

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, June 26.—The wheat market was obsessed by bearishness throughout the session.

Table of wheat prices with columns for Open, High, Low, Close.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Table of Montreal stock prices including Amer. Bond, Bell Tel., Can. Cement, etc.

METAL MARKET.

New York, June 26.—Lead dull, \$3.65; Tin, \$21.50; Copper, \$1.10.

UNION PACIFIC OIL DOUBLES IN PRICE

Athabasca Well Controlled; Exchange Decides on Extra Afternoon Session Daily

Oil stocks operated quietly this morning, and apart from a noticeable advance in Union Pacific, were without any important new features.

Following yesterday's sales in Corporation Gold, interest this morning favored buyers.

This will enable Calgary oil prices here to be more in line with headquarters. Union Pacific sold as high as 20 cents per share after noon, thus doubling in price from yesterday.

Table of oil stock prices including Balfour Patents, Blackbird Syndicate, etc.

SELLING ORDER SENT WHEAT PRICE DOWNWARD

Winnipeg, June 26.—The wheat market was again dull and quiet, prices opening 2c to 3c lower.

Table of wheat prices with columns for Open, High, Low, Close.

NEW YORK CURE PRICES.

Table of New York cure prices including Ann. Marconi, Beaver, Buffalo, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table of New York cotton market prices including Jan., Feb., March, etc.

CITY SHOULD CLEAN ITS OWN HOUSE FIRST

Thistles Growing Rankly on Civic Property, at Same Time Owners Are Fined

"I think the city would be acting more consistently if it were to clean up its own property before it tries to enforce the law against private owners who fail to cut down thistles," remarked Magistrate Jay this morning.

The first case called was that against the Grand Trunk Pacific Development company, as owners of the wharf property used by the G. T. P. Coast Steamship company.

There had previously been a discussion between Mr. McArthur and the constable as to the type of thistles on the lot, whether they were milk thistles or the Scotch variety.

Table of various stock prices including American Marconi, B. C. Coal & Oil, etc.

an old man used to cut the thistles on all its property, but he was not available this year at the usual time.

The magistrate pointed out that the seeds could ripen even after the plants were cut down if not taken before the flower appeared at all.

HINDU APPEAL MONDAY

J. E. Bird Appeared Before Court of Appeal at Victoria to Obtain Appointment.

J. E. Bird, counsel for the Hindus aboard the Komagata Maru, appeared before the court of appeal this morning and was granted leave to appeal from the order of Mr. Justice Murphy refusing a writ of habeas corpus.

POPULAR COUPLE WED

Miss Linda Webb and Mr. Charles Grimm Married at St. Andrew's Cathedral; Tour Sound Cities.

The altar of St. Andrew's cathedral was beautiful with colored lights and flowers when the marriage of Linda Isabel Violet, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph William Webb.

H. J. Lee Dye was summoned in respect of the house at the corner of Hillside and Rock Bay avenues, at present vacant.

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mer wreath of the same traditional flower. She carried a bouquet of carnations and sweet peas.

Afterwards a quiet wedding-luncheon was served at the home of the bride's parents, and during the afternoon a few friends of the happy pair, who are both well known and very popular here, called to say goodbye and express their good wishes and congratulations before Mr. and Mrs. Grimm left for Seattle and a tour of the Sound cities.

ELKS' SMOKER ENJOYED.

Interesting Programme Was Source of Pleasure to Many Who Attended Event.

A most successful smoker was held at the Elks' clubrooms, Campbell building, last evening, about 150 of the members and their guests enjoying themselves thoroughly.

Among the local people who contributed to the evening's entertainment were: Frank Sehl, who is always a welcome guest at the club, and who gave a vocal solo; R. T. Loughheed, who sang pleasingly; W. Allen, who recited in French-Canadian dialogue; P. W. Howles, who played the piano with its keys covered by a cloth, and Fred Lina, Italian comedian, who was assisted by the Chinese-German duo, composed of Messrs. Amos, Irowin, MacMaster, Reilly, and Moriarty.

The Elks' ladies are arranging a basket social and flannel dance on Thursday, July 9, which should prove a very interesting affair.

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### CHAMPION MACAN DOES FINE WORK

Victoria Lady Golfers Star at Seattle Tourney; the Open Competition

With A. V. Macan steadily winning his matches at the Seattle tourney there is an excellent chance of the north-west golf title coming to Victoria once more. The celebrated local star meets Jack Neville, the California champion, in the semi-final to-day, and he is picked to win this match and enter the finals, probably against H. Chandler Egan, Medford, Ore., W. Moffatt, the Victoria professional, turned in a score of 157 in the open tourney, while W. H. Ricardo, of this city, completed the round in 168. Victoria ladies are also doing splendidly.

In the first stretch of the open championship event, George Turnbull, professional of the Waverly Country Club, of Portland, Oregon, carried away the leading honors. Turnbull was the leading attraction, making the unusual score of 147 for the 36 holes. The other entrants in the open championship had the following scores: Robt. Johnson, Seattle, 131; Willie Lilleth, of Tacoma, 152; H. A. Fleager, of Seattle (amateur), 152; Charles Thom, formerly of the Shinnecock Hills Club, of New York, 153; Chester Horton, of the Earlington Golf and Country Club, Seattle, 154; Willie Moffatt, of Victoria, 157; Alf Bilko, of the Shaughnessy Heights Club, Vancouver, 162; A. Duttile, of Jericho Club, Vancouver, 161; T. S. Gallop, of Olympia, 163; S. Lilleth, of Tacoma, 164; Philip Jefferson, 166; W. H. Ricardo (amateur), Victoria, 168; F. W. Welsh, of Aberdeen, 170; D. H. Findlay, of Spokane, 172; T. Eulish, 174. Results in the women's Pacific north-west championship round were: Miss Violet Peoley, of Victoria, won from Miss Peepole, of Vancouver, 2 and 1; Miss Agnes Ford, of Seattle, won from Mrs. L. H. Bean, of Tacoma, 2 up; Mrs. T. D. Curran, of Tacoma, lost to Mrs. A. V. Macan, of Victoria, 3 down and 1 to go; Mrs. W. H. Ricardo, of Victoria, won from Mrs. Robert Wilson, 4 and 3.

### MANY BLOOMS SHOWN.

St. Aidan's Ladies Pleased With Success of Flower Show; Those Who Won Prizes.

The flower show held last Friday by the ladies of St. Aidan's proved an immense success. The proceedings were opened by Reeve McGregor at 8.30, who complimented the people of the district on the beautiful display of flowers. A large number of people attended, and the affair proved successful financially and otherwise. The judges, Messrs. Menton and Gage, giving the greatest satisfaction to everyone.

The following won first prizes: Roses—T. G. Thomak, University school. Pansies (12 varieties)—Mrs. W. A. Clark. Sweet peas—Mrs. T. Todd. Best collection of annuals—Mrs.

Hawkey. Best collection of perennials—Miss J. Laing. Bouquet made by lady—Miss R. Deans. Bouquet made by gentleman—John Irvine. Floral design—Miss Julia Glendenning. Honey-suckle—Mrs. W. A. Clark. Best collection of wild flowers—Mrs. F. Dawson. A beautiful cactus exhibited by Mrs. Grant, of Gordon Head, won a special prize donated by Mrs. G. Deans, and Mrs. W. A. Clark won the special prize for the best Canterbury bells donated by George Deans. Mrs. F. Dawson won Miss A. Clark's special prize for the best collection of wild flowers. The winners of the children's prizes were Miss Mary Simonds, Miss Lily Sherret, Miss L. Pollett and Sam Williams.

### FIFTH REGIMENT, C. G. A.

Regimental orders by Lieut.-Col. W. N. Wineby, commanding. Headquarters, Macaulay camp, June 26, 1914. Orderly officer for June 27, Lieut. H. K. Robinson; next for duty, Lieut. A. E. Robertson. Orderly sergeant for June 27, Sergt. D. R. Finnick; next for duty, Sergt. N. C. Bell. The following non-commissioned officers and men have re-engaged for a further term of three years from the dates specified below: No. 294, C.-Q.-M.-Sgt. F. Hatcher, June 29, 1914; No. 243, acting corporal, E. Logan, June 29, 1914; No. 247, acting, Edr. R. Rivers, May 31, 1914; No. 223, Gnr. Wm. Lynn, May 31, 1914; No. 322, Gnr. J. W. Kirby, November 2, 1913; No. 351, Gnr. A. Haggart, September 8, 1913. The regiment will parade at Macaulay camp on Sunday next, the 28th inst., at 11.30 a. m., for the purpose of calling the annual muster roll. This parade is absolutely compulsory. All ranks must attend. Dress, drill order. Pay lists property signed in triplicate must be handed to the paymaster military district, No. 11, at this parade. (Sgd.) R. F. Clark, Captain, Adjutant.

### HOLIDAY ENTRIES FOR LOCAL SPORTS

Entries for the Caledonian games at the Willows on Dominion Day are being received in gratifyingly large numbers, and it is expected that a record will be established for local meets. The addition of the horse races to the programme means that thirty or forty of the fastest horses that the Victoria Polo and Hunt club can boast will be on hand.

Blaney Scott has selected a fine list of officials for the V. A. A. meet at Oak Bay. Bill Day will act as starter, the complete list being as follows: Track and field—Starter, W. S. Day; judges, D. O'Sullivan, S. W. Thomas, H. E. Beasley and Dr. C. B. Wainwright; timekeepers, W. J. Shortt and W. H. Wilkerson; clerks of course, George Grubb, R. Travis, W. Newcombe; announcer, J. T. Simpson. Cavalry events—Judges, Mr. Justice Irving, Dr. W. Bapty and Capt. W. J. Hart. Boxing—Referee, V. Gray; judges, D. O'Sullivan, H. Boyd; timekeeper, W. J. Shortt.

Rheims, June 25.—J. G. Hedstrom, Sweden; Stalard Stankovits, Hungary; Frants Reichel, France; Mr. Fisher, England; and James E. Sullivan, of the United States, were yesterday named an international jury for the Olympic games to be held in Berlin in 1916. The committee also decided that the Olympic games of 1920 should be held at Budapest.

### PROVINCIAL SERVICE

Appointments Made to Public Works and Agriculture Departments by Provincial Executive.

Appointments made by the provincial executive last week are gazetted to-day, and include the following: In the department of public works: Draughtsmen—William Middleton and Henry Whittaker. Stenographer—Mary Florence Coupland and Charlotte Alberta Miles. Clerk—David Charles Huges. Janitors in the Parliament buildings—Thomas Nelson, William Corfield, William Middleton, Douglas Sherwood, William Riley, Alfred Charles Wilson, Frank Lee and Arthur Davies. In the department of agriculture: Agriculturist—H. E. Walker. Assistant horticulturist—Arthur H. Tomlinson. Seed and crop instructor—John Campbell Readey. Assistant inspector of fruit pests—William J. Graham and M. Langdon Bird. Assistant dairy instructor and inspector—Theodor Adolph Ferdinand Wiancko. Exhibition commissioner—W. A. Lang. Robert S. Squarebriggs, Revelstoke, is to be registrar of the Revelstoke mining division from April 1 last. Alexander W. Milligan, of this city, barrister, is to be a notary public.

### NEW COMPANIES

Two Victoria Concerns Among Incorporations of the Present Week; the List.

There are but two Victoria companies among the concerns granted certificates of incorporation during the week. One is the Pioneer Oil company, Limited (non-personal liability), which is incorporated with a capital of \$500,000, to deal in oil and other mining property, operate smelters and other plant, build or acquire steamships and utilize the other usual powers of such companies. The other is the Northwestern Creamery, Limited, capital \$10,000, to take over the business of A. G. Snelling and Francis H. A. Norton. The other companies incorporated are: Abbotsford Oil & Gas Co., Ltd. (non-personal liability), Vancouver, capitalized at \$250,000; B. C. Silver Black Fox & Fur Farmers, Vancouver, \$50,000; Fraser Valley Oil & Gas Co., Ltd. (non-personal liability), Vancouver, \$200,000; Fred Brown Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$10,000; Frey & Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$50,000; Fruit & Farm Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$25,000; Independent Packing Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$25,000; Inlet Club, Ltd., Vancouver, \$5,000; Lean Nam Club, Vancouver (under the Benevolent Societies' act); Powell Lake Mill Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$40,000; Prince George Brewing & Malting Co., Ltd., Fort George, \$300,000; Still & Miller, Ltd., Vancouver, \$15,000; Standard Electric Welding Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$10,000; Tyrrell & Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$10,000; Vancouver Syndicate, Ltd., \$10,000; Windermere Mining Co., Ltd. (non-personal liability), Vancouver, \$1,000,000.

Extra provincial companies licensed are: Brown Fruit Co., Ltd., Edmonton; Riker-Hegeman Drug Stores, Ltd., Toronto; and Wright & Greig, Ltd., Glasgow, Scotland.

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### Wire Strainers and Improved Kitchen Utensils

Strainer, illustrated, has three removable bottoms 6 ins. in diameter. Price \$0.40. Same style, with fixed bottom at 30¢ and \$0.25. Other styles up to 35¢ each from \$0.10. Combination Graters, have manifold uses, come at 50¢ and another style at 15¢.

### Bread Tins in three sizes, and an improved style comes at each, 20¢, 15¢ and 10¢.

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### Improved Wire Dish Covers



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### Good Lamps For Camp and Summer Homes



The famous "Angle Lamp" is the light we recommend above any other. Unlike all other lamps, the burner projects from the front at almost a right angle and there is absolutely no shadow thrown by either shade holder or font—they are entirely out of the way. "Angle Lamps" may be had with one, two, three or four lights, and in various finishes. Prices start up from \$4.00. Wall Lamps, as illustrated, have glass fonts, are strong and reliable. Price \$0.75. Wall Lamps, a similar style to the above but fitted with tin fonts, come at \$0.65.